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## ► ► Should They Bother With College?

► ► **URGING** Brown University undergraduates to devote their "full time and energy" to their college work as the best long-range way to share in the national defense program, President Henry M. Wriston of Brown University has cautioned the University's 1,400 students against hasty and premature attempts to enter military service.

Quoting President Roosevelt's statement that college students should continue their educations in order to be "well prepared for the greatest usefulness to their country," Dr. Wriston, in a letter to all undergraduates, March 26, pointed out that "the farther along you are in your college course, and higher your quality of achievement, the better your chances are for interesting military assignments and the attainment of an officer's commission."

Dr. Wriston's letter was mailed in connection with the setting up of an advisory office on military service, and with the publication of a special Defense Manual by the University, listing all possible information about opportunities for service in the Army, Navy, Marines and Air Corps. Copies of the letter are being sent to parents.

"Those of you who have not yet registered under the Selective Service Act have great flexibility of choice in deciding which phase of defense work you will enter," he said. "Until and unless you are actually called to military service, I advise you to devote your full time and energy to your college career."

"This is not a moment for precipitate action. Balanced judgment is as vital for the defense of our way of life as guns and planes. The military phase of this crisis is essentially an interlude. If too much is sacrificed to that interlude, then the permanent values and the enduring issues do not get enough attention."

"Education is not a short-run objective; it is a permanent and continuing process. Your effort should be to absorb the interlude rather than permit it to become the dominant force."

► **PLANS** for giving special summer courses in the sciences, designed to help Brown University students qualify for ensign commissions in the United States Navy, were announced by President Wriston earlier in the month. Summer courses have not been offered at Brown since World War days.

President Wriston also announced that a central office which will be a clearing house, bureau of information and contact source for all matters relating to students and military service has been set up under his direction. The office will be for "finding the best possible service for students in terms of their training, preparation and interest."

In keeping with President Roosevelt's policy of non-interruption of university education, Brown plans "to make every effort to keep its students on the campus and yet to help them meet the requirements of the Selective Service Act," President Wriston said.

The new summer courses, the number and nature to be determined by advance registration, will be for Freshmen, Sophomores and possibly a few Juniors whose college work so far has not included enough study in the sciences to qualify them for a Bachelor of Science degree, which is

required for an ensign commission. Students who are now candidates for Bachelor of Arts degrees can change to candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Science in Chemistry or Bachelor of Science in Engineering without loss of time, President Wriston said, upon successful completion of the summer courses.

The University's tentative plans call for each student to take one course in Engineering, Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry, covering a normal college year's work in about 12 or 13 weeks of intensive study. The courses will not be given for credit, but only to qualify students for a Science degree.

Qualified Seniors will then be eligible to apply to the Navy for a commission as ensign in the Naval Reserve. Juniors will be eligible for a probationary commission. Seven Seniors and 13 Juniors have already applied for commissions this year.

The summer courses will also be open to prospective Freshmen who want to enter as candidates for a Bachelor of Science degree, but whose regular school preparation has not covered the necessary ground, President Wriston said. He is sending letters to schools notifying principals and headmasters accordingly.

► **THE** Cammarian Club on March 20 began a National Defense Forum, which was conducted jointly by students and Faculty members. Discussions in fraternity houses and dormitories continued the program. Undergraduates are too inclined to "throw in the towel" on their college education because of their ignorance of the facts behind Selective Service and National Defense, the Cammarian Club spokesmen said.

"The students have been suffering from a bad case of jitters over the future of their college work," said the Forum sponsors. "Two Juniors left college last week to join up in the Air Forces. They believed it would be futile to remain here and get their degree since their draft numbers were coming up soon. Others may not return next Fall. The Cammarian Club believes that these students may well ruin their futures by leaving college at this time. The Forum will attempt to straighten out these ideas." ◀ ◀

### *In the President's Month*

► ► **PRESIDENT HENRY M. WRISTON** of Brown University is one of three educators appointed by New York City's Board of Higher Education to consider the "complex problems of professional responsibility and integrity" raised by the recent accusations of Communist and other subversive activities in the city colleges.

Other members of the special committee are Dr. William Neilson, former president of Smith College, and Dr. Herbert W. Schneider, professor of philosophy at Columbia University.

Preliminary questionings have been under way in New York in connection with the beginning of a grand jury investigation of charges that certain teachers in the College of the City of New York and in Brooklyn College are using the classroom to advocate Communism.

**THE COVER PHOTO:** Captain Walter Juszczyk lets loose one of his knuckle balls. (Photo by Williams)

President Wriston was one of the principal speakers at the dedication of the new \$250,000 fraternity quadrangle at Lawrence College, March 22. His topic was "The Fraternity in Education."

Dr. Wriston, who was president of the college at Appleton, Wis., from 1926 until he went to Brown in 1937, addressed a special all-college convocation which was part of the dedicatory exercises.

► If the world is to look for a lasting peace it must break away from excessive political control over its economic, social and cultural life which are now suffering from "too much government" the President said Mar. 14, addressing a luncheon of the New England Council in Providence. He declared that "as long as politics insists upon plowing under the wealth it does not and can never produce, there will be tension so great as to insure war. The indispensable step is to bring politics into line with the rest of human experience."

For a long-range policy to insure peace, "the logical consequence is not world government and the suppression of local and national management of political affairs," President Wriston said. "The deadening effect of state control has also been one of the striking manifestations of recent years. Freedom is the greatest need."

"The central paradox in the world's search for peace lies in the attempt of nations to destroy by political means their own cultural, scientific and engineering achievements." Political isolation checkmates the international ties of modern civilization, which depends for its advancement upon free interchange of ideas, information and experiences, President Wriston said.

"No nation in the world . . . is or can become independent of others for the materials of a rich economic life, any more than for its cultural and scientific life," he stated, emphasizing that Europe's problems are those of the United States as well. "To refuse for years to accept the efficiency of international interdependence is simply to rob the populace of forms of nourishment which no amount of political pap can replace in their diet." ♦♦

#### **Honorary LL.D. for Prof. Chafee**

► AN honorary degree of LL.D. was bestowed on Prof. Zechariah Chafee, Jr., of the Harvard Law School faculty on the occasion of Boston University's Founders Day last month. He also holds honorary degrees from Brown University, where he received his baccalaureate degree in 1907, and from St. John's University, Brooklyn.

Prof. Chafee and Dean Roscoe Pound were speakers at Boston University's two-day celebration, devoted to the freedom of the press. Appealing for continued open discussion—even for Communists—during any emergency, he declared that only a strictly military censorship should be made. Freedom of speech and other democratic rights should not be censored, he said.

A half-page interview in the *Boston Globe* further expressed his belief on the necessity of preserving free speech. ♦

#### **In Place of Swing**

► THURSDAY night is not only maids' night out, but Raymond Gram Swing's night off. Taking his place on the radio as a commentator on the world situation is Harold M. Fleming '20, who discusses the war in economic terms. Fleming, who has been Wall Street correspondent for the *Christian Science Monitor* since 1935, had a fine article on the national fiscal problem in the February *Atlantic*.

## **In the Emergency ◀**

►► PROBLEMS ranging from studies of military psychology and morale to the use of optical instruments and visual cues in landing airplanes are being quietly studied by members of the Department of Psychology at Brown University these days as part of Brown's share in meeting the national emergency.

Less conspicuous than either the Civil Aeronautics Authority's student pilot training program, the new Naval ROTC unit, adult classes for defense workers, or Brown's special research for the Navy, the psychologists are nevertheless busy with their own long-range efforts on matters touching every citizen, regardless of whether he is in military service or not.

Germany's powerful and aggressive military psychology is being carefully sifted and analyzed by Dr. Heinz L. Ansbacher, research associate in the department and assistant editor of *Psychological Abstracts*, the psychological journal published at Brown. Dr. Ansbacher's findings will be turned over to the National Research Council's Emergency Committee in Psychology. The National Research Council, organized during the last World War to place the nation's scientific resources at the disposal of the Government, is again accelerating its efforts in order to meet today's crisis.

One of the organizers of the Emergency Committee on Psychology is Prof. Walter S. Hunter, chairman of the department and editor of *Psychological Abstracts*. This committee is holding meetings about every six weeks to plan and co-ordinate its psychological work. Prof. Hunter, who is also a member and former chairman of the National Research Council's Division of Anthropology and Psychology, has secured the appointment of a National Research Council committee to evaluate and organize the contributions of psychology in an emergency.

Recently he was appointed to serve on the council's Committee on Problems of Neurotic Behavior, which is interested in securing the collaboration of psychologists and psychiatrists in the Army. During the World War, Prof. Hunter served as captain in the Psychological Division of the Army Medical Corps, aiding and directing the administration of psychological tests to 100,000 recruits.

The Committee on Sensory and Perceptual Problems of the National Research Council has chosen Prof. Clarence H. Graham to work with a sub-committee of the Council for National Defense. Prof. Graham will probably be called in to deal with a large research problem on the use of optical instruments in war. Prof. Graham is one of the leading experts in the country in the psychology of vision, and has written more than 50 papers on various technical studies on the eye and how it reacts to light under different conditions.

Dr. Carl Pfaffmann, newly appointed instructor in psychology, has been granted special funds by the National Research Council's Committee on the Selection and Training of Airplane Pilots to study visual ones in landing. His findings are expected to prove helpful in the nation's flight training efforts. A Naval Reserve lieutenant, Dr. Pfaffmann was at Pensacola last summer at work on visual problems in selecting pilots, and is expected to return there after Commencement this year. ♦♦



## ► ► For the Reconstruction of Hope College

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**HOPE COLLEGE** from Waterman Street: \$100,000 from an anonymous "friend of the University" will enable the regeneration of Brown's second oldest building.



► ► HOPE COLLEGE, second oldest building on the campus at Brown University, will soon be reconstructed throughout under the terms of a \$100,000 gift from an anonymous "friend of the University." President Henry M. Wriston, who announced the gift before the Advisory Council of the Associated Alumni, said that "the time has come when positive steps must be taken to preserve one of our finest architectural possessions, and to increase its usefulness."

The project will be the second recent major reconstruction of historic buildings at Brown. University Hall, the original "college edifice" of 1770, was reopened last May after the interior had been entirely rebuilt in accordance with the best standards of Colonial architecture. More than \$250,000 was given by friends of Brown for the reconstruction and for furnishings. Fifty thousand dollars from the same "anonymous friend" has also been received to offset unexpected costs here, Dr. Wriston said.

The general plan for the reconstruction of Hope College would call for recapturing the Colonial charm of the interior, which has seen repeated alterations since the building was opened as a dormitory in 1823. Although the years have not brought any changes to the ivy-covered exterior, little of the original woodwork remains in the rooms and corridors.

Long regarded as one of the purest examples of early American architecture, Hope College was built on the front campus, adjoining University Hall, to house the growing student body after the turn of the past century. Its brick walls, massive chimneys, and white trim, together with the building's simple but graceful lines, have since been copied and adapted in Brown's more modern residence halls.

► THE need for another "College edifice" was first expressed by the Corporation at its meeting on Sept. 6, 1821, when a committee was appointed "to erect the edifice on such a plan and of such dimensions as they may think proper." A lot adjoining the College property was purchased for \$5,189 from Nathan Waterman.

Although the committee was authorized "to solicit donations and draw on the Treasury for the above purpose," the entire cost of about \$20,000 was met by Nicholas Brown of the class of 1786, wealthy Rhode Island merchant for

whom the University had been named in recognition of his frequent benefactions.

Mr. Brown, in a letter to the Corporation in January, 1823, suggested that the new building be named Hope College, in honor of his only surviving sister, Mrs. Hope Brown Ives. It was described in the Corporation records as "an elegant brick building . . . length 120 feet Width 40 feet four stories high and containing 48 rooms."

"I avail myself of this occasion," Mr. Brown wrote, "to express a hope that Heaven will bless and make it useful in the promotion of Virtue, Science and Literature, to those of the present and future generations, who may resort to this University for education."

► FOR some years not all of the rooms in Hope College were needed for students, and a few were even rented to local organizations, including the Philermenian and United Brothers Societies. As time went on, unruly student behavior left its mark on "the outside doors of the New college . . . and there appears a disposition to cut waste & destroy the Building."

By 1891, Hope College was described as "much out of repair—the north wall cracked, timbers rotting and the whole interior worn and dingy." A thorough reconstruction was supervised by Marshall Woods of the class of 1845, chairman of the University's real estate committee, at a cost of \$35,000. Plumbing and heating systems were installed, and the fireplaces made usable again.

Many of Brown's most famous alumni lived in Hope College during their undergraduate days. Among them were Alexander L. Holley of the class of 1853, promoter of the Bessemer process for manufacturing steel; John Hay of the class of 1858, Secretary of State and ambassador to Great Britain; Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes of the class of 1881, and the late Prof. Dana Carlton Munro '87 of Princeton, eminent historian.

### Mr. Weeks Is Re-Appointed

► SINCE the establishment of the Boston Federal Home Loan Bank in 1932, Edward H. Weeks '93, president of the Old Colony Co-operative Bank in Providence, has been a member of its Board. He was recently re-appointed its vice-chairman.

## Baseball for 1941 ◀

BY RICHARD J. REYNOLDS '31

►► A CATCHER, first baseman, and set of outfielders comprise the main necessities of Coach Jack Kelleher as he starts this, his 12th season, at the helm of the 1941 varsity baseball forces. Plenty of promising candidates are competing for the positions listed, but depletions by graduations have left the berths wide open. Veterans are available at every other post.

From a pre-season perspective, the battery positions seem at opposite poles in comparative strength, with pitching the team's strongest suit and catching the most questionable of all departments. As for the past two seasons, the hurling staff is led by Capt. Walter Jusczyk, veteran "knuckle" ball artist. Fortified by his lengthy Varsity experience, plus greater size, and weight, the West Warwick, R. I., right-hander appears destined for a banner season and right now represents the team's outstanding individual hope for a successful campaign.

Behind Jusczyk is Harris "Red" Whyngaught, a left-hander, whose portside slants have caught the fancy of Coach Jack Kelleher at the indoor drills in the Lyman Gym cage. Although Whyngaught lacks any Varsity experience, Kelleher believes the sorrel-topped Sophomore a fine prospect and if time vindicates these expectations, the mound department will have the best balance of any Brown pitching staff in recent years. Ed Lally, Senior veteran of two seasons, is again available and should prove valuable in both a starting and relief role. In addition, two capable Sophomore right-handers, Earl Nichols and Herb Ginsberg, increase the depth to verify the conclusion that the pitching situation is exceedingly bright.

► The graduation of Lou Sigloch, leading hitter of the 1940 team, coupled with a general dearth of experienced backstops, makes the receiving half of the battery squad a horse of quite a different hue. Lou Berger, Senior and reserve for two seasons, is the only candidate with any Varsity exposure whatsoever, most of which has been limited to practice sessions and occasional subbing in late innings of games. This restricted experience, some of which has included working with Jusczyk, may win Berger the job, although he has at least two competitors certain to make serious bids in Ernie Savignano and John O'Sullivan.

Savignano has not played baseball since catching with the 1939 Freshman nine, but his cage work, featured by the abundant drive and vigor characteristic of his participation in all sports, has made the 1941 Varsity football captain-capt a prominent contender. O'Sullivan, also a Junior, played in the outfield of the 1939 Freshman team and previously caught for two years at Hope High. A natural ball player, O'Sullivan is the "dark horse" of the three-cornered race and may be the ultimate winner of the competition, which probably will be decided by hitting ability.

First base is another position rife with speculation as to the ultimate regular occupant. Last season, the initial sack was held down by Harry Platt for the majority of games and, although the great basketball ace never played baseball before coming to Brown, he submitted a fine fielding record.

To fill the vacancy created by Platt's graduation, John Marsolini, third sacker for the past two campaigns, may be shifted to first. Marsolini is equally adept as an infielder or outfielder, in addition to being a heavy hitter and Coach Kelleher's chief problem with the Milton, Mass., Senior is to station him where he will be most effective. The two other

prominent possibilities are Russ Barker, a Junior and Ed Armstrong, a Sophomore, both of whom played Freshman baseball. It is also possible that Whyngaught may play first when not taking his turn on the mound. Being a left-hander, Whyngaught's presence on first would give the infield more balance, and in view of the batting ability he has evinced in cage drills, he will probably be used in the infield or outfield when not pitching.

► HANK GOSSLER, now a Junior, is again ready to take over the second base post he won a year ago and the year's experience should make the rugged Junior, who has been diving on the Varsity swim squad during the winter months, a valuable infielder. Bud McKene and Ted Wilks, both Sophomores who played in the 1940 freshman infield, look to be Gossler's closest competitors and may make the fight for the keystone sack a hot battle.

A regular infielder for two years, Bill Sheehan is again the logical shortstop choice. Last season, Sheehan fielded excellently and hit both often and opportunely, several of his blows being delivered with men on base when runs were needed.

Assuming Marsolini plays some position other than third, his successor at the hot corner seems destined to be Maurice "Moe" Carroll. A Sophomore, Carroll was out of competition most of his Freshman year with a sore arm. Now fully recovered, he gives every evidence of developing into a reliable third baseman, numbering among his talents a fine throwing arm and ability to stop almost anything coming his way. Carroll also looks to be a natural hitter and may form a partial answer to Coach Kelleher's constant search for greater power at the plate.

All three outfielders of last season, Ray McCulloch, Ed Pietrusza and Dave Redford, have joined the alumni ranks. At the present writing, Coach Kelleher is combing the squad for a trio most likely to combine the necessary speed to snare long fly balls and hitting prowess.

Bob Tourigny, a Senior and reserve fly chaser in 1939 and 1940, is the sole squad member with Varsity outfield experience, and looks to be a fair certainty of annexing one of the three pasture vacancies. If not located on first or third, Marsolini will probably be another, with the third opening likely to be competed for by a score of aspirants, including several of the present candidates for battery or infield positions.

The season was to open with a road trip to New Jersey with Rutgers and Princeton the foes on April 4 and 5. After drilling indoors in the Lyman Gym cage since Feb. 17, the squad moved out to Aldrich Field March 27, a bare eight days before the first games. ◀◀

### A Good Fencing Record

With only the M. I. T. match remaining on April 12, the Brown Varsity fencers had suffered only one defeat in their 1941 campaign. Victims were Tufts, Fordham, Wesleyan, and Boston University.

High scorer on the team is Falcon John, who won 33 of 45 bouts. He was outstanding with the saber, meeting defeat only three times in 24 bouts. Edward Leif had the distinction of winning the foils title in the Yale Invitation Tournament in February, in which the team placed a good third in a strong field. In dual matches Leif won 16 bouts with foil, lost six; his record with all weapons was 23 wins, 17 losses. Capt. John MacGregor posted an average of about .500 with each weapon to become third high man. Football tackle Don Corzine had the best record with the duelling sword, winning nine of 12 bouts.

## ► ► A Letter from the Brownbrokers



**SHOW IN THE MAKING:** Brownbrokers gave us these photos of rehearsals for last year's revue hit. Its publicity department is sure another success awaits in 1941's "Run for Your Life."



### DEAR ALUMNI:

For the past few years you have been hearing more and more about Brownbrokers. Those of you who have seen any of our shows know that your University has a live-wire musical revue organization. The contention is further borne out by the evidence of *Collier's* magazine, which in its Nov. 30 issue of last year pointed to Brownbrokers as one of the leading musical productions of the country. This year's show, "Run for Your Life," will more than bear this out.

We have written the show around *Life* Magazine this year. By using this background, we hope to overcome some of our chronic technical difficulties and still maintain our

light, fast-moving tempo. Every department has made rapid and widespread improvements for the current production. You will have heard at least one of our songs presented over the air waves probably before you read this.

Tom Lomasney '41, the show accompanist, has succeeded in having his song, "You Linger Near," published by a New York house. We are not unduly optimistic in saying that you will hear more of our tunes before opening night, May 5. Have you heard any of Fred Waring's recent renditions of "In Spring" from last year's show, "Ten to One"? He's been playing them by popular request.

Barbara Ham, our president and choreographer promises some exotic new dances — numbers such as *The Cubana*,

Letters to the Editor, and many more. Lucile Stark has been organizing some clever new skits; Art Bijur and Tom Ryan have created and directed the organization of the staging. From last year's show Dan Braude, Lois Lindblom, Ginger Bowman, and a host of others have come to lend their experience to a promising influx of talent from the Freshman classes of Brown and Pembroke.

We'll expect to see you, grads, this spring. The ticket office will be open on April 21st; make your checks payable to Brownbrokers (tickets are \$1.35). The show will run for six nights; your best bet for good seats will be during the week from the 5th to the 8th. We'll see you there.

THOMAS A. COTTER, JR.,  
Publicity Director.

#### Federal District Attorney

▶ WITH two Brown graduates sitting on the bench, George F. Troy '98 was sworn in last month at the Federal building, Providence, as U. S. District Attorney for Rhode Island.

Federal Circuit Judge John C. Mahoney '05 was present to greet his friend and former colleague, and District Court Judge John P. Hartigan '10, presiding, congratulated Troy, whose nomination by President Roosevelt had been confirmed by the U. S. Senate without discussion. On hand, too, to felicitate his successor was Governor J. Howard McGrath, who resigned as District Attorney to win in the November election the office he now holds.

#### Scholarships for Engineers

▶ A FUND of \$20,000, income from which is to be used in setting up a scholarship for mechanical engineering students, was bequeathed to Brown University under the will of Miss Edith Manton, who died March 3. The scholarships shall bear the name of Frank Stead Manton.

#### Unitarian Leaders

▶ PERCY W. GARDNER '03 has been named to the Council of the Unitarian Laymen's League. He is legal adviser to the American Unitarian Association and, a former president of the League, is now vice-president. J. Ward Healey '01 is another vice-president and Council member, while Richmond H. Sweet '25 is Secretary and Council member. Henry D. Sharpe '94 is Treasurer.

#### Secret Service Specialist

▶ ▶ CLIFTON FADIMAN calls him "the greatest living authority on international secret service," and last month Richard Wilmer Rowan '16 published his sixth and latest book in the field of his specialty, "Error in Our Time: the Secret Service of Surprise Attack."

It is vouched for as "the story of the war that did not end at Versailles in 1918 but continued underground and ended by joining the Second World War with the First." Among the exciting episodes covered are the betrayal of the Czechs, the Russo-German pact, the warfare of delay, the death of Von Fritsch, the Munich bombing, the tracking of the Graf Spee, Brien's penetration of Scapa Flow, and such earlier violence as the murder of Dollfuss and Alexander.

Mr. Rowan started his writing career as a humorist with two magazine stories at 16 and a long, humorous *Saturday Evening Post* story at 17. Say his publishers, (Longmans, Green and Co.): "He has needed to keep that sense of humor in the grim field which has been his special study since 1912. In that year (he would have been a Freshman then) he began studying secret service, applied it before the war in behalf of autonomy for Central European minorities, during the war for the United States Chemical Warfare Service, and in 1928 began sharing his knowledge with the public in 'Spy and Counter-spy,' 'Women in Secret Service,' 'The Pinkertons, a Detective Dynasty,' 'Spies and the Next War,' 'The Story of Secret Service.' Mr. Rowan commands international recognition as the authority on his subject and all his books have been published abroad, several of them in French, Czech and other translations."

#### At Northeastern's Inaugural

▶ DR. HARVEY N. DAVIS '01, President of Stevens Institute of Technology, delivered the principal address at the inauguration of Carl Stephens Ell as President of Northeastern University in Boston. Brown was represented officially by the Dean of the Graduate School, Dr. R. G. D. Richardson.

### In the Mail

▶ ▶ The following two letters tell their own story:

Morris, D-31  
Soldiers Field  
Boston, Mass.  
February 22, 1941

Dr. Henry M. Wriston  
Brown University

Dear Dr. Wriston:

In this morning's *New York Times* I note the gift of \$100,000 which has been made to Brown for the reconstruction of Hope College.

During my four years at Brown, all of them spent in Hope College, I developed quite an affection for that old edifice. As a consequence I would like to have some part in the reconstruction. Despite the fact that funds are never too plentiful in graduate school I would be glad to subscribe \$5 for any purpose in connection with the Hope College reconstruction. Perhaps other former "inmates" would be glad to do likewise.

While I was connected with the *Herald* I believe you said you would like to put common or reception rooms on the first floor of Hope. If this is still your idea, the sums contributed by former residents of Hope could be used for furnishing these rooms.

Very truly yours,  
(Signed) JAMES D. WILSON '39

Dear Mr. Wilson:

I am always particularly heartened when an alumnus takes the initiative in expressing his feeling about Brown University by coming forward with a suggestion, backed by a commitment, for furthering a worthy cause.

I should not like to have the University undertake any campaign, either among the general alumni or among those who lived in Hope College during their undergraduate days here, but I should like very much to use your letter in the *ALUMNI MONTHLY*. It might have real value not only in stimulating others to follow the particular suggestion you have made but in putting them upon the alert to other ways in which they could serve the University.

Sincerely yours,  
HENRY M. WRISTON

▶ Sir:

I was delighted to see the item that told of Jim Barry's successful bit of publicity on behalf of Brown. You will recall that he took advantage of Nebraska Rose Bowl fever this winter to remind the paper in his prairie city of Scottsbluff that his own Alma Mater had opened this whole Rose Bowl business 25 years ago.

It just shows what a willing alumnus can do to help the cause by taking a little trouble. Notice, too, that it was the sort of publicity that is definitely favorable to us, working in a fine incidental way the fact that we are "one of the oldest colleges in the Ivy League, although the smallest."

More power to men like Jim Barry.  
BOSTONIAN

Sir: At a recent meeting of our Brown Club in St. Louis we discussed at considerable length many problems concerned with the activities of Brown Alumni groups. It was interesting to note the extreme interest which all members had in the discussions, and, though many of them were in the form of criticism, I feel it is safe to say that the suggestions were constructive.

It was the general feeling that more could be done by the Associated Alumni to

create greater regional interest. It appears that the only meetings that the Brown group have had in St. Louis have been on the occasions when Dr. Bigelow has been in town—the previous one approximately two years ago. If the Alumni organization could possibly arrange to have a traveling representative doing work among the various groups throughout the country, similar to that which Dr. Bigelow does among the schools, it is felt that much greater interest could be stimulated and maintained.

St. Louis

I was rather moved to read of the bad luck of the young fellow who returned to Brown after interrupting his college education for several years—only to be killed in an accident while he was working during Christmas vacation to help earn money for his Senior year.

He thought enough of Brown to come back to her, even after being out in business and getting married to boot. Wouldn't it be a nice thing if the University awarded him his degree posthumously? It would mean a lot to his mother and widow.

SENTIMENTALIST

St. Louis County Health Dept.  
Clayton, Mo.

I'm in hopes that I can get back for my fifth reunion this June; but whether I can or not, I feel sure that I will be well posted of the activities through the ALUMNI MONTHLY. I cannot begin to tell you how much I look forward to receiving it each month. At times I can still imagine myself going to Chapel in Sayles Hall or loafing in Faunce House. It is swell having memories, and I can assure you that they are nothing but the most pleasant.

LEON P. EISMAN '36

## “Battle of Long Island” ◀ ◀

► ► THIS was written for his classmates, but we think others will be interested, too, in what Lieut. James L. Whitcomb '38 has to say about service in the Second Operation Company at Mitchell Field. The Director of Alumni Relations seems to be obeying the old Army precept, “Keep Cool.”

At one low moment of mine in this man's Army, I had intended to give all of you a bit of the lighter side of the life military, but tonight I feel very unfunny. Despite 1941's marvelous scientific achievements, nobody has yet designed a composition board building that can withstand more than a zephyr. So, having stuffed all the gaps with dirty shirts and old socks, I am tuning in some hot radio music in an endeavor to keep warm. So these are chattered jottings.

When I left for my year's active duty, my commission clutched firmly in one hand and the “Do and don't Manual” in the other, I half hoped that the little girl who said goodbye on the station platform would think of me as returning with that gaunt weatherbeaten look of the old campaigner. But NO! I've gained 10 pounds.

Two things a Second Lieutenant learns very quickly; he is referred to as a Shave-tail or a Jeep, and old-time army sergeants speak fondly of having their Second Lieutenants for breakfast (very good with a little marmalade). And one doesn't refer to these new bachelor officer quarter as

### Football Dates for 1942

► ► THE 1942 Brown varsity eleven will play eight games according to the schedule released by Thomas W. Taylor, Director of Athletics.

The Bruins will open their campaign Oct. 3 with Rhode Island State at Providence for the first time since 1939. The following week, the team will meet Columbia in New York City for the second successive year, as the 1941 game with the Lions is also listed for New York.

Lafayette will repay the Bruins' visit of this coming fall in the third test, and the fourth and fifth games will be played away against Princeton and Yale, respectively. Brown last met Princeton in 1939. The Yale game is a continuation of an unbroken series of 60 years' duration.

In their sixth encounter, the players will entertain Holy Cross at Providence for the third consecutive season in an extension of the annual series with the Crusaders.

Harvard will be faced at Cambridge in the final away game in the continuation of another keen rivalry, virtually as old as that with Yale.

A Thanksgiving Day contest with Colgate will conclude the schedule in a revival of one of the Turkey Day classics of the East. The game will mark the first time the Red Raiders have played at Brown Field Thanksgiving Day since 1936, prior to which the two teams met in numerous memorable and important tussles, including the 1932 game for the mythical Eastern

“barracks.” . . . they're called “Horrible Heights.”

But harken, all ye civilians, don't let anyone tell you that this is a lazy life. Some day when this battle of Long Island is over, I shall thumb my nose at a six a.m. alarm clock and revel in strolling into an office at nine. Worse yet, some darned adjutant is always thinking up pleasant duties like making you officer of the day, which shouldn't be “day” at all, because it keeps you up all night. Right now, all lieutenants at Mitchell Field finish their day's work and then report to a Spanish class, and brother, in Uncle Samuel's little school, there isn't any such animal as a class cut!

### Mrs. Crowley Aneke

► “SAYS Mrs. Crowley, Says She” is Doran Hurley's latest book about the outspoken Mrs. Crowley, embodiment of the virtues and ideals of the Irish in a New England mill town. This is the third book — Longmans, Green & Co. is the publisher — that Hurley '26 has written concerning Mrs. Crowley.

“Here,” the New York Herald Tribune reviewer said, “we have a more complete view of her life and what she thinks about it. Mrs. Crowley has positive views on many topics — sermons, church holidays, fifth columns, books, and the home of her ancestors. Mr. Hurley reports her with admiration and zest.”

crown and the 1926 engagement in which the Brown “Iron Men” were held to a 10-10 draw after bowling over all previous opposition.

THE 1941 SCHEDULE: Oct. 3 — Rhode Island State at Providence; Oct. 10 — Columbia at New York City; Oct. 17 — Lafayette at Providence; Oct. 24 — Princeton at Princeton; Oct. 31 — Yale at New Haven; Nov. 7 — Holy Cross at Providence; Nov. 14 — Harvard at Cambridge; Thanksgiving Day — Colgate at Providence.

THE 1941 SCHEDULE: Sept. 27 — Wesleyan at Providence; Oct. 4 — Columbia at New York City; Oct. 11 — Rhode Island at Providence; Oct. 18 — Tufts at Providence; Oct. 25 — Lafayette at Easton; Nov. 1 — Yale at New Haven; Nov. 8 — Holy Cross at Providence; Nov. 15 — Harvard at Cambridge; Thanksgiving Day — Rutgers at Providence.

### Surrender of a Crown

► ► THE nine-year reign of Brown in the New England college swimming championships ended last month in the new M. I. T. Alumni Pool when the premed favorite, Springfield College, led the field. Brown hopes, given encouragement in the trial heats, slipped back again when Springfield conducted a counter-attack in these quarters. Coach Barry's game squad collected 30 points, however, to tie Amherst for third position. Others finished as follows: Springfield 43; Williams 34; Bowdoin 18, Massachusetts State 15, Trinity 12, M. I. T., Wesleyan 2, Worcester, Boston University and Connecticut 0.

Bob Schaper of Brown won the 50-yard freestyle championship but was unable to hold his other New England college crown in the 100-yard dash when Dave Tyler of Trinity slid into the finish line with him. Without protesting the result of the meet, Brown asked to have the rules clarified when first-place judges picked Schaper first, second-place judges picked him second.

The only N. E. I. S. A. record to fall was that for the 400-yard Freshman freestyle relay, won by Joyner, Berns, Capouch and Carson of Brown. Their time, 3:45.1, replaces that set by Brown Freshmen in 1938 — 3:48.4. Sherb Carter of Brown was right on Schaper's heels in each of the shorter swims, taking second in the 50 and third in the 100. George Gibbons, title-holder in the 200-yard breaststroke, had to be content with a fourth and was second in the 300-yard medley. Other points for the Bear were scored by Gernon, fifth in the 440; Gossler, fourth in the dives; and the freestyle relay, fourth.

On the qualifying night Schaper set a new record of 23.7 seconds when he led the 50-yard swimmers. Gibbons had led the field in the medley preliminaries, while Irvine, fourth qualifier in the dives, dropped down in the finals. Burgess won his heat but failed to qualify in the breaststroke.

By taking fifth place in the 50 and 100-yard freestyle, Bob Schaper gave Brown two points and a tie for 11th place in the National Collegiate A. championships in Michigan. His time in the 100 was 53.3. Ahead of Brown in the final standing were: Michigan, Yale, Ohio State, Wayne, Princeton, Minnesota, Iowa, Occidental, Massachusetts State, and Williams.

### The Brown Interscholastics

► PAWTUCKET East High School, with a victory in the crucial relay, took first place from Hotchkiss School in the Brown Interscholastics, March 8. There were no records broken, but, despite a blizzard, a strong field of schoolboy stars was on hand for the competition. Points were scored as follows: Pawtucket East 41, Hotchkiss 34½, Worcester Academy 32½, St. George's 21½, Hebron 12, Pawtucket West 6, Moses Brown 5½, Dean Academy 2.

Only double winner was Ralph Gossler of the winners, who captured both 50 and 100-yard freestyle events, being close to the records with respective times of 24.6 and 54.6 seconds. Other champions were crowned as follows: 100-yard breaststroke — Decker of Worcester (1:9.2), 200-yard freestyle — Glenn of Hebron (2:9.9), 100-yard breaststroke — Kluttig of Pawtucket East (1:9.8), Dive — Capparelli of Pawtucket West, 150-yard medley relay — Hotchkiss (1:29), 200-yard freestyle relay — Pawtucket East (1:44).

### Host to Hockey Players

► BROWN UNIVERSITY was host to the eight schoolboy hockey teams competing in the New England Interscholastic Hockey Tournament at the Rhode Island Auditorium early last month, at a luncheon in Faunce House Art Gallery, the following University officials were introduced: Thomas W. Taylor, Director of Athletics, William K.

Selden, Admissions Officer; and James H. Case, Jr., Secretary of the University. Alumni attending were: Edward T. Richards '27, President of the Brown Club of Providence; Louis A. R. Pieri '20, manager of the auditorium; Eliot G. Parkhurst '09 and Everett Eynon '29. The Providence Brown Club co-operated.

The teams entertained were from Cranston High School, Milrose, Mass., High School, Dover, N. H., High School, Needham, Mass., High School, West Haven, Conn., High School, West Springfield, Mass., High School, and Waterville, Me., High School. They made a tour of the campus and the athletic plant after lunch.

No members of a Brown Varsity team could greet the schoolboys, although a dozen undergraduates and recent graduates played last winter in the Rhode Island inter-city league, and Brunonians Bob Priestley and Larry Cousins were paired on the defense by the Rhode Island Scarlets, New England amateur title-holders.

### Guests of the University

► WITH headquarters of the Sixth Army Corps now located in the old Hope Street High School in Providence, Brown University athletic authorities have extended their co-operation to the new unit. A University field adjoining Marvel Gymnasium is being used for drill purposes by the soldiers, while a lecture room in the Gym is being used as an Army classroom. The Sixth Corps men are being admitted free to all Brown athletic contests this year.

## With the Brown Clubs ◀ ◀

### Boston

► EFFORTS of the club are now focused on the annual banquet which will be held at the University Club in Boston on Wednesday evening, April 16. Speakers will be President Henry M. Wriston, president of the University, and Dr. Claude M. Fuess, Headmaster of Phillips Andover Academy. Guests of honor will be "Skip" Stahley, the new football coach, and John R. Marsolmi '41, former scholarship winner of the club who has made an outstanding record on the campus.

Preceding the banquet, the annual meeting of club members will take place at 6:15 o'clock, followed by a reception at 6:30 o'clock and dinner at 7 o'clock. The banquet committee is composed of the following: William P. Burnham '07, chairman, Fred W. Woodcock '91, Frank W. Campbell '00, Chester L. Nourse '09, Earle W. Bates '12, Edwin M. Murphy '19, Edwin A. Cole, Jr. '24, Philip M. Lingham '30, Paul Mackesy '32, F. Hartwell Swaffield '37 and Ernest T. Clough '20, treasurer.

On the evening of March 17 at the University Club in Boston, the Alumni Fund held its annual Boston dinner for associate class agents in that area. The speakers were former Judge John S. Murdock '06, Arthur Philbrick '03 and James W. Gull, executive secretary of the Fund. James S. Eastham '19 presided.

Dr. Theodore Collier, Professor of History and International Relations at Brown, was the speaker at the luncheon of the Brown Club of Boston held at the Chamber of Commerce on March 13. His subject was "The War in the Near East." About 37

Brown men attended and listened with rapt attention to his masterly interpretation of war developments in the Near East and, during the question period, in the war as a whole. The speaker was cordially greeted by former students in his classes on the Hill. Royal W. Leith '12, president of the Club presided. Others seated at the head table were George S. Burgess '12, Fred W. Woodcock '91 and Ernest T. Clough '20, secretary-treasurer of the Club.

### Northeastern New York

► THE Brown Club of Northeastern New York had the privilege and pleasure of entertaining Dr. Bruce Bigelow and Secretary Jim Case at the University Club in Albany, Thursday evening, March 13.

The meeting consisted of an informal dinner and round table discussion covering such items as the four course plan, defense activities, Alumni Advisory Council meetings and the new football coach. After dinner Furber I. Marshall with his usual wit and forensic ability presented a framed resolution to R. Forster '03, past President of the Club, citing him for his poor though loud singing, his nagging for contributions to the Alumni Fund and his great ability in having most of the meetings in Albany. In accepting this tribute, Bob humbly acknowledged his many failings as cited.

Bruce Bigelow gave an interesting account of his travels west, visiting secondary schools and told us of the great activity on the hill in connection with National Defense, and the important part Brown and Dr. Wriston are taking.

He then introduced Jim Case whom most

of us had not met. Mr. Case held forth in a delightfully informal manner telling us briefly what he was trying to accomplish and what improvements might be made in the activities of the Advisory Council.

Lively discussion on many subjects followed and the meeting adjourned about 10:30 P.M. so as to allow our guests some leisure before leaving for Providence.

Those present were: J. G. Baxter '31, H. A. Dodge '20, R. K. Dewey '20, W. E. Easton '36, A. J. Eckert, Jr. '32, R. Forster '03, H. W. Hastings '04, W. G. Hardy '31, Dr. H. W. Lyall '08, J. D. Mann '37, F. I. Marshall '19, H. E. Pratt '11, M. Posner '39, C. W. Paland (Father of Dick '43), W. J. Ross '19, W. S. Stedman '27, F. B. Saunders (Father of Bill '43), E. W. J. Turnbull '32, S. Vint Van Derzee '32, R. S. Walters '31, C. E. Martin '23, F. D. Covert '34, and Prof. R. S. Thomson '12.

To date 17% of our club membership have contributed \$250.00 to the Alumni Fund. Let's make that 100%. That would mean at least \$800.00.

► H. A. Dodge '20 of Albany is president of the Brown University Club of Northeastern New York this year, with the following aides: Vice-President—S. Vint Van Derzee '32 of Albany; Secretary and Treasurer—W. E. Easton '36 of Delman; Executive Committee—R. S. Walter '31 of Albany, H. L. Loneragan '20 of Albany, Robert Forster '03 of Albany, J. Gordon Baxter '31 of Troy, Furber I. Marshall '19 of Troy, F. C. Schmidt '27 of Schenectady, Simon England, Jr. '35 of Pittsfield, and G. A. Rothschild of Gloversville.

### Oregon

► THE second meeting of the Brown University Club of Oregon was held Jan. 25 at the Roosevelt Hotel, with Rev. Frederick A. McDonald, formerly rector of St. Stephen's Church in Providence, and Francis Jackson, a senior at Benson Tech and prospective Brown man, as guests.

Members of this newest link in the chain of Brown Clubs include: Edward F. Barrows '23, J. W. Butler '95, Frank Miller Chapman, Curtis C. Curry '03, Edward A. Fontaine '38, Robert Forbes '20, Dr. Ernest H. Gilbert '00, Ashley Greene '21, Paul S. Guilford '99, Carl W. Hagquist '34, P. Douglas McPhee '11, Capt. F. P. Miller, Jr. '27, Sumner C. Mitchell '26, Howard R. Perris '14, Claude E. Stevens '01, Ralph E. Storey '99, Paul F. Thomas '28, J. Mark Wade '16, John J. Walsh '32, and John B. Woods '12.

### New York

► PREPARATIONS for two major dinners kept New York's executive secretary, William Bree, Jr., on an overtime schedule, but they promised to be successful affairs. The first, on March 26, was the annual gathering of Fathers of Undergraduates, long since past the experimental stage. The following Thursday, April 3, "Skip" Stahley, new head football coach, was to be the guest of the Club at a "First-Dun" dinner at the club headquarters. During the interval in Syracuse practice occasioned by vacation on the Hill, Stahley planned the New York visit to meet alumni there, talk over plans for 1941, and describe the system of play he is installing at Brown.

W. Earl Sparkling '12, former All-American quarterback, was to be toastmaster. R. Kenneth Fairman, graduate student in Syracuse at Princeton, was scheduled to speak of the effect of the draft on college sports.

The last we heard the Brown University Club's "B" Team was holding fourth place in the Metropolitan Squash Racquets Association League. Far ahead of Harvard, Yale, Dartmouth, and Columbia, the Brunonians were led by the Downtown A. C., Cornell, and their club neighbors. Princeton, Playing for Brown were: A. I. Gilbert '26, P. D. O'Brien '27, F. D. Gorll '31, W. A. Stephens '26, and D. H. Scott '32. At the time, the "C" Team was sixth in its league. Brown's players there were Gurll, Stephens, Scott, W. S. Davidson '31, W. T. Hoyt '28, F. A. Forbes '38, and H. S. Butler '31.

### New York's Fund Agents

► The New York City-New Jersey Associated Agents for the Brown Alumni Fund met for dinner at the Brown University Club of New York Feb. 27. Twenty-four men were present at the dinner which was given by the University under the direction of Prof. William W. Browne '08, district agent of the Fund, who was also toastmaster at the dinner.

Arthur L. Philbrick '03, Chairman of the Brown Alumni Fund Trustees; Ralph M. Palmer '10, member of the Corporation of the University, Trustee of the Alumni Fund and President of the Brown Club of New York; and James W. Gurll '38, Executive Secretary of the Fund, addressed the meeting. Mr. Philbrick briefly described the financial condition of the University and explained the importance which the Alumni Fund plays in the financial burden. Mr. Palmer spoke of the loyalty of Brown men. The Executive Secretary revealed that New York Alumni are making rapid strides toward achieving the objective they have set for themselves. A lively discussion in which all participated featured the dinner.

Agents present were: Harry G. Remington '27, Fred A. Forbes '38, William W. Browne, Jr. '38, Jeremiah Holmes '02, Sam Cohen '02, William A. Bree, Jr. '35, Charles Eberstadt '34, Leonard P. Sayles '25, George Schwencik '32, Warren S. Davidson '31, Walter L. Bopp '35, Philip R. Sisson '17, Charles B. Fernald '01, Edward Howell, Jr. '19, J. J. Riley '16, Edward Beam '03, James Gorton '25, Frank McEvoy '39, W. Eugene San Filippo '37, and Mortimer L. Taylor '33.

### New York Picks Bree

► WILLIAM A. BREE, JR., '35 has been appointed Executive Secretary of the Brown Club in New York to succeed Fred A. Forbes '38, Ralph M. Palmer '10, President of the Club, announced at its annual dinner, Feb. 10.

Bree, who was active in extra-curricular activities as an undergraduate, was class poet, associate editor of the *Daily Herald* and a member of the freshman swimming team. A member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity, he was president of the chapter in his senior year.

Since graduation he has been engaged in newspaper and promotional work in Connecticut and New York and has served as editorial writer for the *New Haven Journal-Courier*, staff reporter on the *New York Evening Journal* and publicity director of the Connecticut State Department of Labor.

He is the son of William A. Bree, clerk of the Superior Court in New Haven, and Mrs. Bree.

Forbes, whom Bree succeeds, has been

executive secretary of the Club for the past two and one-half years. He resigns to enter business in New York. Forbes has had much of the executive responsibility of the University's largest and most active alumni club. The club has grown in membership and prominence during his term as manager.

### Alta California

► THE annual dinner meeting of the Brown Club of Alta California was held at the University Club, San Francisco, Feb. 8.

Dr. T. Harper Goodspeed '09, Professor of Botany, and Director of the Botanical Gardens, University of California, gave a most interesting talk on "Political Conditions in the Countries of South America." He described the historic and racial backgrounds of each of the larger South American countries, the political aspects of their present governments, and suggested a program that we as Northern neighbors should try to constructively carry out, in order to build up the spirit of understanding and good will so urgently needed at this time, between these two great Western Continents. At the close of this informative talk, those present asked Dr. Goodspeed many questions, showing the interest in the subject and in South America.

George F. Weston '78 was present and gave an account of the Commencement exercises which he attended in 1938 and again last year. Mr. Weston also showed us interesting pictures of some members of the Class of 1878, from the class album made up at the time of their graduation. George Weston is the oldest alumnus in our Club, and his presence added a great deal to the enjoyment of the evening.

All present voted that the evening's fine program was one that long will be remembered.

Our President, Nathaniel Blaisdell, Class of '83, presided in his usual urbane and effective manner, and received the thanks of the Club for providing the beautiful table decorations and bountiful refreshments. Mr. Blaisdell was elected President of the Club for the 43rd year in succession,

and F. E. Roper '11 was elected Secretary and Treasurer. Others present were: Douglas Allan '38, Curtis F. Brace '30, David L. Bruce '08, Haven A. Cobb '08, David G. Goddard '24, F. Marshall Jencks '11, Claire S. Johnston '11, Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn '93, S. Lyman Mitchell '12, Roland J. Morgan '13, Anthony P. Morse '37, Dr. Richard R. Perkins '09, Frederic R. Roper '23, Bertram Smith '09, Stewart D. Weston '08, and T. D. Woodbury '03. F. E. R.

### Providence

► "SKIP" STAYLEY has a Brown football of his own now after attending the Providence Brown Club luncheon Feb. 24 in the Crown Hotel. Athletic Director Thomas W. Taylor presented the pugskin to him with the exhortation to carry it without any interceptions, incompletions or fumbles. With the hall went the official good wishes of the University, for the Athletic Council was well represented at the table. The new coach made a fine impression with his modest, sincere intentions, and he assured the alumni of a welcome during Spring practice.

"Toss" McLaughry also was present to receive honest compliments from presiding officer Edward T. Richards. In addition to receiving the good wishes of the gathering, he assured the Providence Club that a coach of outstanding ability had been acquired in Stayley.

President Edward T. Richards '27 represented the Club at the 12th annual Varsity Night of the British Empire Club in Providence. Prof. Herbert N. Couch of Brown was toastmaster, while Vice-President Adams, Charles J. Hill '16, President of the University Club, Capt. Keppler, and four undergraduates were also guests of the Club.

### Hartford

► VICE-PRESIDENT Paul E. Monahan '31 is directing the activities of the Hartford Brown Club, following the departure of David R. Allen '34 to Boston. Mr. Monahan is with the Orlik Electric Company, 175 Ann St.

## ►► Bears for These Three

*No fairy tale was the story of the Three Bears awarded again this year by the New York Brown Club to outstanding alumni. In presenting the 1941 statuettes, replicas of the bronze Bruno, John T. Winterich '12 read the following citations:*

### William W. Browne '08

► You see before you the author of "The Presence of *Bacillus Coli* and the *Bacillus Welchii* in the Intestinal Tract of Fish"—or "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea." This popular work followed several only less widely read successes, among them "The Significance of the Time at Which Gas is Produced in Lactose Peptonate Bile," "Semipermeable Membranes and Capsules," and "A Comparative Study of the Smith Fermentation Tube and the Inverted Vial in the Determination of Sugar Fermentation."

Bill Browne was born under the shadow as well as under the name of Brown Uni-

versity, where he received his A.B. in 1908, his A.M. in 1909, and his Ph.D. in 1912. Since 1912 he has been a member of the faculty of the College of the City of New York, for five years as instructor in biology, for the next ten as assistant professor, for the next ten as associate professor, and since then—we are now at 1937, in case you have lost track—as full professor of biology and chief of the division of bacteriology. He is a member of a dozen scientific societies, and holds or has held professional positions as a research expert for local, state and federal investigating groups, as well as for numerous private industries.

But it is not exclusively for his biological and bacteriological attainments, his odd passion for fish bowels, that the Brown Club of New York has selected him for special citation tonight. It is also for his continuous and continuing loyalty and devotion to Brown University. As a trustee of the Alumni Fund, and in particular as district agent for the fund in the New York City-



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New Jersey area, he has rendered sterling and practical service to his alma mater. Of the total increase in the fund last year, the New York City-New Jersey area registered 53 per cent. Of new subscribers, this same area accounted for 47 per cent of the increase. Bill Browne did not do this all by himself, as he would be the first to insist, but he was the spearhead of the movement. He has been known to employ guile and subterfuge in furthering this endeavor, on the theory that the end justifies the means. If Dr. and Mrs. Browne invite you for an evening of bridge, do not go unless you are prepared to devote the entire time to Brown Alumni Fund correspondence. He sent his sons, Bill, Jr., and George, to Brown. Dr. Browne meantime is continuing his investigations into the habits of halophilic, heliophilic, and thermophilic bacteria, and continuing as well to provide an admirable case history of an alumnus who is acutely infected by the bacillus Brunensis, which is a highly beneficial organism.

#### William Earl Sprackling '12

► Out of Cleveland, Ohio, in the fall of 1908, over the Lake Shore and the New York Central and the Boston & Albany to Worcester, and thence over the New Haven Railroad to Providence, came a youth who was to make football history. He weighed then, as he weighs now, 135 pounds; he was then, and looks still, 18 years old. He is a grandfather who might be taken for his own grandson. He has three daughters and two granddaughters, and one of the granddaughters is a year older than one of the daughters—in other words, the niece is a year older than her aunt. But we anticipate.

Sprack played football at Brown for four years, in a day when quarterbacks really ran teams. His most sensational contributions to the legendry of the game were a 105-yard runback of a kickoff in the Carlisle game in 1909, played at the Polo Grounds in New York, and three dropkick goals from the field in the devastating and tumultuous victory over Yale in 1910. That was before everybody had begun to

push Yale around—when besting the Bulldog was as tough a proposition as blasting the Brown Bomber would be today. That year Sprack was all-American quarterback. In that distant era picking all-American elevens was not the autumnal pastime of every crossroads sports editor; there was one all-American team, and Walter Camp was its prophet. Then, of course, Sprack went on to captain the 1911 team.

Then Sprack won his biggest game of all. He did not let hero-worship such as has been accorded no other athlete in Brown history go to his head. He took his diploma and went to work, first for the J. C. Hall Company of Providence and four years later for the Tubular Woven Fabric Company of Pawtucket, where he became general manager and later president. When the Tubular joined the Anaconda Wire & Cable Company in 1929 Sprack became vice-president of the Anaconda in charge of sales. For 12 years he has been a member of the board of governors of the National



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Electrical Manufacturers Association, and he is now its vice-president. This year he is secretary of the Electrical Manufacturers Club, and he is also chairman of the executive committee of the National Adequate Writing Bureau.

His interest in football—specifically Brown football—has continued since his graduation, and he has served as assistant coach under Doc Robinson and Tuss McLaughry. He has been a member of the Athletic Council of the College, and a governor of the Brown Club of New York. Brown has deserved well of him, and he of Brown.

#### Quentin Reynolds '24

► THIS fugitive from a football training table, this retired and undefeated heavyweight boxing champion of Brown University, likes to refer to himself, for reasons that are not immediately apparent, as "one of the little men."

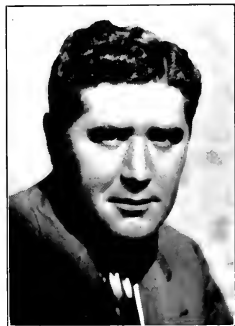
He is that rare creature, a native of New York City. His father was principal of the

public schools of Brooklyn, in which borough our hero grew up and up and up. Following his graduation from Brown he attended Brooklyn Law School, and sandwiched in a law degree between bouts of newspaper work, first on the *Brooklyn Times* and then on the *New York Evening World*. It would be unfair to draw any special inferences from the fact that these publications no longer exist.

When the *New York Telegram* absorbed the *World*, it absorbed Reynolds too, but not for long. He went over to the *International News Service*, where he won fame by his coverage of the loss of the naval dirigible *Akron* in 1933. Later that year he went to Germany. In 1934 he joined the staff of *Collier's* as associate editor, turning out an amount of copy that must have delighted his ancient preceptors in the Brown English department—an article every two weeks on the average, plus numerous short stories for frosting.

Before the war—that was to be—became the war—that is, he made two more trips to Europe, and when the blow finally fell he returned to Europe on a roving commission that took him first to France, where he was the last to leave Paris, and later Bordeaux, before the entry of the German invaders. Then he went to England, with results that require neither elucidation nor embroidery here. He became a war correspondent in an era in which war comes to the correspondent—an era in which front line and rear area are indistinguishable, in which soldier and civilian are one.

Since his return to America a few weeks since, this latter-day Patrick Henry has been expounding the cause of liberty through every channel of communication known to man, and he has proved himself an adept in all of them. But first and last he is a reporter—a reporter who can both chronicle fact and interpret emotion, a quality that is often more factual than fact, more redoubtable than bombs, a reporter who observes with heart as well as with eye. The Brown Club of New York has selected him for signal honor. Let us now see if he can take it.



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# Advisory Council Echoes ◀ ◀

▶ ▶ **ATHLETIC** Director Thomas W. Taylor made a hit with his frank discussion of affairs in his department. He said the athletic program was of greater importance than ever before, in view of the national emergency and its effect on the student body. "In times like these," he said, "we need to do everything we can to offset the uncertainty and questioning and other disturbing elements which are very much on students' minds. As a morale builder, our athletic program has a valuable place and we shall do everything we can to keep it running smoothly."

A report on the Yachting Program, submitted to the Advisory Council by A. Chester Snow '07, chairman of the Brown University Nautical Advisory Board, revealed the fact that a new faculty advisor has been named for the Yacht Club. "Since the Yacht Club's faculty advisor is also a lieutenant colonel in the National Guard," Mr. Snow noted, "we are losing the services of Prof. Zenas R. Bliss '18, famed as navigator on the last two America's Cup Defenders. We are fortunate, however, in enlisting the counsel of Commander Charles L. Andrews, Jr., U. S. N., stationed at Brown in connection with the Naval R.O.T.C. unit. H. Stanton Smith '21 has agreed to help the cause as sailing master."

This year a new permanent trophy will go into competition for the first time when the Brown Yacht Club holds its annual Invitation Intercollegiate Regatta, recognized as one of the important meets by the Intercollegiate Yacht Racing Association. The trophy has been presented by Zechariah Chafce '80 of the Board of Fellows. This brings to four the permanent trophies put up for competition under the Brown yachting program. The others are: the Newhard Trophy for the Interscholastic Regatta, the Thurber Trophy for the Alumni Day races between alumni and undergraduates, and the Interfraternity Trophy presented by the Narragansett Bay Chapter of the North American Dinghy Racing Association, which has given encouragement to the students since they first organized their club.

Although President Walter Hoving '20 was authorized to appoint six Directors-at-Large in the Associated Alumni at the time of the Advisory Council meeting in February, he notified the meeting that he thought it preferable to leave those appointments for the man who will succeed him in June. They would not take office until that time anyway, and Mr. Hoving's action permits the new President to select a larger number of his official associates.

▶ ▶ **W. RANDOLPH BURGESS** '12 raised these questions at the Advisory Council: what has happened to the old Visiting Committees? Were they useful as contacts between Alumni and Faculty in fields of mutual interest? Should these committees be revived? In reply, President Winston said that it all depends on the department and the committee. Chemistry still has its active group, with an important report made annually by Prof. Kraus. Music Department's committee is still a useful instrument, too. The Visiting Committee idea, he said, is a good idea, "but I don't want them if we

have to pump oxygen into them." The interest must come from the visitors, he said; if they had an interest, the University would be only too happy to foster that interest.

Several alumni have raised the point that it would seem advisable to record publicly such contributions as are made to class endowment or insurance funds, as well as gifts to the Alumni Fund. The Fund at present does not list such extra contributions, but the Trustees are considering the matter.

The preparation of written reports was a popular innovation at this year's Advisory Council meetings. Besides presenting this material in more permanent form, the method permitted the inclusion of information on a far wider scope than ever before and yet took up less time from the meeting proper. The way was thus cleared for more discussion based on the reports. Another year, following a good suggestion from the floor, those reports will be prepared earlier and mailed to members of the Council so that they can educate themselves at greater leisure and perhaps with more profit to the actual meetings.

Six men were named to vacancies in the company of Alumni Fund Trustees, following nomination by the Executive Committee and recommendations by the incumbent Trustees. William A. Graham '16, George T. Metcalf '13, and Albert L. Parks '26 were re-elected. New Trustees are Richard A. Bowen '31, Elmer S. Horton '10, and Edward T. Richards '27.

Asked why there were no teams representing Brown University in hockey, wrestling, and lacrosse any more, President Winston told the Advisory Council that the situation was strictly a financial one. "The sports will be restored as soon as it is possible to restore them," he said. Praising the acumen of Athletic Director Taylor, he said he believed in cutting the cloth to suit

the purse. "It is better not to have teams than to pretend to have them and starve them."

▶ **EDWIN B. MAYER** '09, President of the Chicago Brown Club, received a great hand when he spoke briefly to the Advisory Council. He told of his appreciation at being back on the campus and hearing the frank discussions. "I see the problems more clearly now," he said, "and I realize how many of our complaints are due to lack of understanding." He was glad to see President Winston again and assured him of Middle West loyalty. Chicago Brown men hoped that the athletic authorities would again find it possible to schedule a game in their region. "This time their opponents might not fold up before the game took place," he said, referring to the dropping of football at Chicago the year Brown was to inaugurate home-and-home gridiron relationships with that institution.

"We have been disappointed in the failure of the new Alumni Suite at the Providence Biltmore Hotel to serve any appreciable or valid purpose," said a report to the Advisory Council. These quarters were provided at considerable expense after the 1940 Advisory Council had expressed an interest in a social headquarters for Brown men that would "improve the technique of welcoming out-of-town Alumni who return to the campus." The fact that the Suite has been little used in nine months' time, even by Providence men, would seem to indicate that this particular arrangement is not the solution of the problem.

An earlier plan had been to seek an arrangement with the University Club in Providence, but this was not attractive to the Club. Originally, it had been suggested that an Alumni House be provided. That seemed to involve not only the question, as President Winston put it, of who was to be night clerk, but also of financing adequate quarters without a wider demand.

It was voted by the Advisory Council to extend its gratitude to the University for financing the \$1500 experiment at the Biltmore and to discontinue the maintenance of the Suite. ◀ ◀

## ▶ ▶ Brunonians Far and Near

### 1871

▶ ▶ **THE** Alumni Association of Putnam High School in Connecticut is collecting data for a history of the school. When it first opened in 1873, Latham Fitch was its first principal.

### 1881

Frank H. Gifford had the pleasure of a visit from two members of the administrative staff recently in his New Bedford home. Frank is enjoying good health and is active in civic affairs.

### 1884

Edwin C. Gammage, active class agent for the Alumni Fund, reports that the class is pointing toward a record number of contributions this year.

### 1886

Prof. Albert K. Potter is seen occasionally at luncheon at the new Faculty Club, 1 Megee St.

### 1887

Dr. Edmund D. Chesbro had the pleasure recently of announcing that the class has

already pledged 100% support of the Alumni Fund and has passed its quota.

### 1890

Rev. William T. Green, pastor of Natick Baptist Church for nearly 47 years, led the list of ministers honored by members of the Baptist Ministers' Conference at the March meeting in Providence for 10 or more years of service in Rhode Island. Mr. Green read a paper on experiences during his pastorate, the only one he has held.

Henry R. Palmer's daughter, Mary Babcock Palmer, wrote two highly readable articles about Australia and Australians in the war for recent issues of the special section, *Providence Sunday Journal*. Writing is in the Palmer blood.

Past Grand Master Walter A. Presberry of the First Masonic District, which includes Rhode Island, received a 50-year medal at the annual visitation of the district officers to St. Johns Lodge, No. 1, Providence, last month.

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1891

Clarence C. Converse has moved to 80 Ivy Lane, Englewood, N. J.

Joseph N. Ashton has visited the campus a number of times recently personally to invite members of the Faculty to speak before the Merrimack Valley Brown Club.

1893

Dr. Clarence E. Ide has moved to 728 Ormand St., Mission Beach, Cal.

1894

Frank E. Lakey is now living in Pocasset, Mass.

Most outstanding contemporary institution in Woburn, Mass., is its Winn Memorial Library, said a Boston Herald feature writer Feb. 15. "Here Librarian William D. Goddard (Brown '94), with the backing of a progressive library board, has built up a library which might well be the envy of much larger cities, and which contains geological and antiquarian collections of museum proportions.

"Mr. Goddard, who is a member of the committee planning Woburn's centenary celebration next year, was born in China and worked in the old Harvard Library and the Naval War College before coming to Woburn. He has taken more than ordinary interest in the civic life of his adopted city, served on the Charles Goodyear memorial committee which commemorated the centennial of the Woburn rubber man who invented the Goodyear process. He has collected a splendid series of slides which he gives illustrated lectures on Woburn history. Mrs. Goddard sews for the Choate Memorial Hospital, is active in the Women's Guild of the Baptist Church, and has raised three fine sons." The article was illustrated with two photos of Mr. Goddard, one of the "library builder" as a young man, the other with Mrs. Goddard today.

1896

The 45th reunion of the Class will be held at the Squamscott Club, famed for its shore dinners, probably on the evening of June 14. William A. McAulan, 1896's successful secretary, had a meeting of the reunion committee Feb. 20 in the Brown Alumni Suite to make preliminary plans.

Judge John S. Murdoch was the principal speaker at the Boston Class Agents Dinner held recently at the University Club. William A. Jones, agent, was among those present.

Your Secretary records with regret the death of William Warren Orswell at his home, Boston Neck Road, Narragansett, Feb. 1, 1941. Orswell was a student at Brown for two years and two terms. When he retired a few years ago, he was treasurer of Pawtucket Dyeing & Bleaching Co. To his wife, Mrs. Mary A. Orswell, and his daughter, Miss Lois T. Orswell, the Class extends its sympathy.

1897

Byron S. Watson, president and chairman of the board of Rhode Island Insurance Co., has resigned as president, but will continue as chairman of the board. He asked to be relieved of duties as president that he might give his full time to administrative work.

Your Class Secretary, George L. Miner, has been re-elected as a vice-president of the Family Welfare Society of Providence.

The death of Sidney D. Humphrey in Boston, March 20, was a great shock to his friends. To his mother and brother, Karl Humphrey '12, the sympathy of the Class is given. An account of his career will

### Arthur Train's Father

▶ "My father was graduated from Brown University 105 years ago," Arthur Train announced when he spoke before the Rhode Island Bar Association's annual dinner on March 11. The lawyer and writer of stories stated the fact a second time again, for some of his hearers thought they had not heard aright.

Mr. Train went on to say that he was glad to be back in Providence because of his father's association with Brown. Charles Russell Train, a member of the class of 1837 who took both his A.B. and A.M. work at Brown, was also a lawyer. He served as Congressman from Massachusetts, aide-de-camp to General McClellan in the Civil War, and later Attorney General for Massachusetts. Arthur Train was born in 1875.

appear in a later issue of the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY.

Augustus P. Hamlin is living temporarily at 2067 S. Washington St., Denver, Colo. He wrote to say that he has been undergoing treatment for a double cataract, with fair success.

1898

Franklin K. Matthews, chief librarian of the National Council, Boy Scouts of America, is one of the judges for the fifth annual children's spring book festival in New York City this month. He has books for older boys as his assignment.

1899

Joseph C. Hartwell, president and treasurer of the Hartwell & Co., heating contractors, has been elected to the board of directors. Audubon Society of Rhode Island, for a 3-year term.

Your Secretary records with regret the death of John Benedict O'Donnell, LL.B., LL.M., in Washington, D. C., Jan. 21, 1941. The cause was a heart attack. Although O'Donnell spent four years at Brown, he did not take his bachelor's degree. At New York Law School, where he won his law degrees, he was a high stand student. For 17 years he practised law in New York City and was a member of Tammany Hall. During the past 20 years in Washington he had done Federal food and drug law enforcement work and served on the staff of the General Counsel, Federal Security Agency. His wife, two sisters and a brother in Providence are his survivors. He was born in Providence, June 19, 1875, the son of Hugh and Ann O'Donnell.

1900

Judge Roscoe M. Dexter has the noteworthy record of having attended every rehearsal and sung in every concert of the University Glee Club, Providence, since he joined 29 years ago. The Club had given three concerts when he signed the roll. It will end its 30th season on April 25, appearing then for the first time in the new auditorium of the Rhode Island School of Design. Judge Dexter is an honorary life member of the Club.

1901

The Class's 40th reunion will be held at the Hotel Andrea at Misquamicut on June 13, 14, and 15, we learn from William H. Hull, Secretary-Treasurer of 1901. Two reunion letters have already been put in the hands of the class, and the executive com-

mittee is holding frequent meetings to complete arrangements and learn of progress.

At the last meeting Howard H. Tucker was elected to fill the vacancy on the executive committee resulting from the death of John H. Slattery. The committee is now composed of: E. Tudor Gross, President, (address: Union Trust Building, Providence); Mr. Hull (Box 1318, Providence); Elmer S. Chace, Charles Chester Eaton, Charles H. Gilmore, Henry C. Hart, Stewart B. McLeod, Albert L. Midgley, Alan Rattray Wheeler, and Mr. Tucker.

Lieut. Commander C. Sherman Hoyt, U. S. N. R., attached to the Construction Corps, is on duty at the Defoe Boat & Motor Works, Bay City, Mich., as supervisor of boats being built there for the Navy.

President Harvey N. Davis of Stevens Institute of Technology was the speaker at the annual dinner of the Columbia University Alumni Club of Essex County.

Mr. C. Hart was recently honored by the Legal Aid Society of Rhode Island as that organization celebrated its 20th birthday. Mr. Hart, President for 14 years, and Leroy G. Pilling '11, Secretary and Chief Counsel received scrolls in appreciation of their long meritorious service. Later on the

### Re-hanging of a Bell

▶ WHEN you were in downtown Providence, did you ever hear the Brown University Bell?

We don't mean the chapel bell, but one that is actually downtown. It is one of the bells in the chimes of Grace Church, — the F Sharp, to be exact. This winter the set, including the Brown University Bell, was repaired, re-hung, re-dedicated.

program a three scene historical review was presented. The cast included Mr. Hart, Alice Hart, his daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Hart, Jr.; and Clay Hart, his grandson, among others.

Earle S. P. Bodurtha, whose death in Springfield, Mass. July 9, 1940, has been reported to the Alumni Office, was an active member of the Connecticut Valley Brown Club and the father of Edward F. Bodurtha '33. Born in Agawam, Mass., Dec. 14, 1877, the son of Edward K. and Jane E. (Millard) Bodurtha, he left college in 1901 before taking his degree. After a short period with R. G. Dun & Co., Springfield, he became a funeral director and embalmer, and was with Dickinson, Streeter & Co. until his death. Besides his son, he leaves his wife and a daughter.

1902

Dr. William A. Hill, retired after 20 years of service as Secretary of Missionary Education, Baptist Board of Education, has settled with his family in Isle La Motte, Vt., the ancestral home. "Some of my interests," he writes, "are gentleman farming on a small scale, genealogy and local history. Hobnobbing with my children and grandchildren are my favorite pursuits." He notes with pride what Brown is doing and sends greetings to all his classmates.

Rev. Wesley A. Paige is secretary of the R. I. Baptist Ministers' Conference.

1905

Dr. Charles A. Hobbs, after 28 years of practice, is taking things easier now, he says

in a letter to your Class Secretary. Improved after an illness, he adds that he hopes to enjoy life with Mrs. Hobbs, "who has learned to drive the family auto." Charles's son, Don, is pastor of the Baptist Church in Rio Grand, Co., and his daughter, Priscilla, is married and is living in New Mexico. Incidentally, Charlie is a grandfather. Mail will reach him at 3333 3rd Ave., South, Minneapolis, Minn.

W. G. Meader's second son, Davol H. Meader '42, will be manager of the Brown football eleven next fall.

Alfred W. Ingalls is living at 60 Beacon St., Boston.

Dewitt C. Eggleston, C.P.A. for the Haskins and Sells Co., is living now at 1346 Midland Ave., Bronxville.

Leonard W. Cronkrite of Cambridge, Mass., trustee of the World Peace Foundation and former president of the American Association of Rhodes Scholars, spoke before the Salem Rotary Club of the "astounding transformation that has come over our country that makes it possible for the United States to say, as he did to the King of Greece, 'It is the settled policy of the United States Government to extend aid to those governments and peoples who defend themselves against aggression.'" This principal is far-reaching," he said. "If firmly put into practice, it might in time control the making of war. . . . The United States is beginning to make a deep attempt to build a peaceful war."

A camera man for the Providence Evening Bulletin recently caught doctors at the Cranston Street Army "listening, thumping, testing" as they examined candidates for induction into the Army under Selective Service. One picture showed Dr. Niles Westcott testing a knee reaction as he and other psychiatrists tested recruits' mental condition.

A bottle of port wine to be drunk by the survivor of the Last Man Club of Barrington Post No. 8, American Legion, rested on the table at the second annual dinner of the veterans at the Hotel Warren this winter. Photographed at the table was Senator Fred C. Broomhead.

#### 1906

Elmer D. Nickerson writes: "Plans for the 35th Reunion are already under way. Bob Knight has again invited returning class members to a clam bake at his country place, Lippitt Farm. The remainder of the Reunion will be spent at the Cold Spring House, Wickford, R. I. Present plans provide for a Reunion which will be somewhat shorter in time than before but full of interesting possibilities.

#### Silver in Banks

► "SILVER belongs in banks, thinks Elmer E. Silver, banker and charities president," said a caption that appeared with the photograph of this member of the Brown Class of 1885 in a recent feature article on Woburn, Mass., which ran in the Boston Herald. The reference in the story proper spoke of him as follows:

"Member of many Boston clubs is Elmer E. Silver, who has served the city as president of the Woburn Five Cents Saving Bank, president of Choate Memorial Hospital, president of Woburn Charitable Association."

#### Snow Ball Production

► SNOWFALL suggested an analogy to Z. Chafee '80, who wrote as follows last month to the Editor of the Providence Evening Bulletin:

"When I was a small boy it was the custom in our school to occasionally divide into two groups and have an honest-to-goodness snowball fight. Abundant ammunition was regarded as an important aid to victory, so some of us had the making of snowballs as our part in the defeat of the enemy. Sometimes we handed the snowballs to boys whom we liked, and sometimes we handed them to those whom we did not like so well; but that was not the question. It made no difference whether we liked or did not like the boys who threw the snowballs. They were doing their best to defeat those whom we very much wished to see defeated."

"It seems a bit inappropriate at the present time to discuss what Britain did or did not do in the past, nor is it a point at issue whether we do or do not like England, or whether England is or is not deliberately fighting our battles. The point is that we wish to see Hitler defeated, and this being the case, our job is to hand up the snowballs."

"We expect to have a clam bake about two o'clock on the Saturday preceding Commencement. After the clam bake we will go to the Cold Spring House to spend Saturday night, Sunday, and possibly Sunday night. As an innovation, the Class Dinner will be served Sunday afternoon. There is a possibility that arrangements may be made for a breakfast Monday morning on or near the campus."

"The Chairman of the committee arranging the details is William A. Kennedy. Full details will be sent class members later."

Lanning Myers, now a graduate student in the School of Education at the University of Pennsylvania, has been elected a member of Tau Chapter, Phi Delta Kappa. He is superintendent of public schools at Wildwood, N. J.

Eliot G. Parkhurst has been elected Vice-President of the Home for Aged Men and Aged Couples in Providence. Other Brown men on the Board of Directors are: Charles S. Carpenter '03, A. Chester Snow '07, Norman L. Sammis '08, Charles P. Sisson '11, Frederick A. Ballou, Jr. '16, and Fred B. Perkins '19.

Henry G. Carpenter, after his winter at home in Flushing, N. Y., is making plans for the summer season at Cold Spring House, Wickford. He will be host to at least two Brown reunion classes at Commencement time.

Prof. Edgar S. Brightman of the Boston University philosophy department was the principal speaker at a recent meeting of the Rhode Island Ministers' Union, with the title "Chaos or Cosmos."

Rev. W. Douglas Swaffield and Mrs. Swaffield were guests of their congregation and friends at a dinner in Taunton, Mass., last month to observe Swaffield's 15th anniversary as minister of Winthrop Street Baptist Church. Under Swaffield's leadership the church has grown and prospered until it is now one of the strong, thoroughly

alive churches of the denomination in Southern New England. At the dinner the Swaffields received a large silver tray to commemorate the anniversary.

J. Morton Ferrier, real estate man and a former City Councilman, is a member of the three-man commission appointed by Mayor Dennis J. Roberts to draft and present a civil service ordinance for the city of Providence.

Francis I. Greene, chairman of the Newport Water Commission, said in a report to Mayor Herbert E. Macaulay last month that the city should have a supplemental reservoir to meet the city's great population increase as a result of national defense projects. Newport, as Greene no doubt remembers all too well, had a serious water shortage in the last World War. At that time tank cars brought in water from Fall River.

Albert J. Loepsinger has added another patent to his already long list. This one is "for evaporative cooling system for a humidified inclosure." Loepsinger is assignor to General Fire Extinguisher Co., Providence.

#### 1907

Dr. Leon E. Truesdell, beginning his 16th year as chief statistician for population, U. S. Bureau of the Census, will soon have many more interesting facts than usual to publish about the 1940 census, the most comprehensive ever undertaken in this country.

Fred S. Auty has resumed his work with the U. S. Department of Justice, with his present headquarters at Room 405, 354 South Spring St., Los Angeles, Calif. He and Mrs. Auty drove across the country, covering 6,000 miles in 60 days of leisurely travel. Fred and E. A. (Shady) Adams '12 have already had lunch together and are checking on Brown acquaintances in the Los Angeles area.

George Hurley is chairman of the three-man commission named by Mayor Dennis J. Roberts to prepare a civil service ordinance for the city of Providence.

John T. Bannan is chairman of a Government land commission which has been acting on claims for damages after condemnation of areas in Western Rhode Island near the Connecticut line.

Dana T. Gallup, Massachusetts State Representative, came to Providence to speak "for the Fraternity" at the 81st initiation banquet of the Brown Chapter of Delta Upsilon at the University Club March 21. He had a particular interest in so doing, for his son, Dana Huling Gallup, had just been initiated. George Hurley spoke at the same dinner "for the Alumni."

#### 1908

The Christian Century reports that "Rev. Albert C. Thomas D. D., Baptist, of Fall River, is chairman of the Liaison Committee of the Committee on Military Training Camp Service of the Massachusetts Council of Churches."

Prof. Ralph P. Boas, of the Wheaton College English Faculty, wrote the editor of the Boston Herald recently to express his amazement at the "complete callousness to human suffering" shown by certain correspondents to the "Mail Bag." "They are willing," he says, "to see the most horrible persecutions in Poland that the world has ever seen, they condone the concentration camp with its almost unimaginable cruelties; they pay no attention to persecutions of religion unmatched since the middle ages. . . . What strange obsession blinds them? . . .

## Decorated by Poland

► COL. G. A. TAYLOR, U. S. A., retired, of Old Hadley, Mass., has been created by Poland a commander of the Order of Polonia Restituta, the highest decoration in their gift. The brother officer bearing his dossier to Warsaw, got as far as Gdynia, when the eagles started again rending that fateful country. The colonel was gazed, while the Polish Government was functioning at Angers, France. Only recently have the decoration and ribbons been received.

"As did Napoleon," Col. Taylor (Brown, 1901) says he has always admired the soldierly qualities of the Polish, and is the author of the poem "An Unrewarded Empress," eulogizing the Countess Walewska. Even one of his English settlers was named for her, and another favorite for the Countess Potocka. After the return of the regiment he commanded in France, while depot quartermaster at Montierchance, he transferred large quantities of supplies to Lieut. Henry Sienkiewicz, namesake of the author of "Quo Vadis." Since his retirement he has given several prizes at Hopkins Academy, for essays on the history of Poland. Laying in a largely Polish community Mrs. Taylor, as regent of the Old Hadley Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, has been active in supplying booklets for the local nationalization classes of the foreign-born.

Col. Taylor is local chairman of the Massachusetts Committee on Public Safety, and was one of the American Legion airplane spotters. ♦♦

Why are they willing to see permanently clamped down on Europe and perhaps on the world the awful vice of totalitarianism?"

The Alumni Office has confirmed report of the death of Harold Gilbert O'Neil in Malone, N. Y., April 7, 1940, after a heart attack. O'Neil, native of Duane, N. Y., left college at the end of sophomore year to enroll at Cornell Law School, from which he received the LL.B. degree in 1909. He practised law in Malone under the firm name of Main & O'Neil, and served as deputy and then as Clerk of Franklin County from 1916 until his death. He was also clerk of the county Board of Elections. He belonged to the Masons, the Elks, and Delta Kappa Epsilon. His wife, a married daughter, and a brother, Frederic E. O'Neil '07, survive.

Hill Griffith's rank is Lieutenant Colonel, not Major, as was reported in the March BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY. We wonder if Griff doesn't have the record of being the only '08 man now in active service?

The sympathy of the Class is sincerely given to the family of Clarkson A. Collins, Jr., who died in Providence, March 14, 1941, after a short illness. The news of his death followed soon after a report that he was improving. In everything that he did, and especially in his work for Brown through the years, his ability, energy, and enthusiasm were ever present and effective. Of his part in revitalizing the Associated Alumni after the last World War the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY will have report in the May issue.

## 1909

George H. Henderson, chief highway engineer of the Rhode Island State Division of Roads and Bridges, qualified through Civil Service examinations this winter to retain his position. An East Providence resident, he began his services with the State as an inspector of road construction in 1908 before graduation. He was with the Metropolitan Park Commission from 1909 to 1912, when he became chief engineer of the old State Board of Public Roads. He remained in that office until 1935, returned in 1939 when the Republicans went back into power. Democratic attacks on the Civil Service make his status uncertain once again. His son and namesake is in the Photographic Laboratory at Brown, doing experimental work with microfilm.

Clet Nourse, former star pitcher, is holding down an important position with H. P. Hood & Sons in Boston. He was at the head

table when the Boston Brown Club held its baseball luncheon.

Chauncey E. Wheeler was one of the Rhode Island representatives to the meeting of the House of Delegates, American Bar Association, in Chicago last month.

Tassell P. Hager, elder son of Ernest R. Hager, has completed his work for the Ph.D. degree in the Zoology Department of the University of Illinois. He was recently elected to active membership in the Illinois Chapter of Sigma Xi. Dr. Hager's thesis is entitled "Cytological Studies of the Bar Alleles of *Drosophila melanogaster*."

Herbert F. Hager, Ernest's younger son, is a fourth-year student in Tufts Medical School. Herbert was recently elected charter member of the Tufts Chapter of the national honor medical society, Alpha Omega Alpha. He has been appointed interne at Rhode Island Hospital.

Spike Dennie writes his health has improved since a heart attack in November, 1939, although he still must be careful. He sends regards to all the boys from School of Mines, University of Missouri, Rolla, Mo.

William W. Dove, who has been teaching in the Providence School Department, has now reached retirement age and is on the retirement list.

Clarence Richard Johnson reports a change of address to 1702 East Hawthorne St., Tucson, Ariz.

George T. Huxford, associated with the Taft Peirce Mfg. Co. of Woonsocket, is living at 79 Wood Ave., that city, but reports he prefers his mail sent to East Greenwich.

## 1910

Rev. Dr. Clifton H. Walcott of the First Baptist Church, Lincoln, Neb., was guest preacher at the First Baptist Church, Providence, Sunday, March 16. His topic was "Where Liberty Is Found," and your correspondent thought that he handled it superbly. Walcott came East to discuss with New York headquarters matters relating to Baptist missions.

After 24 years in the employ of the State of Rhode Island, Dr. Lester A. Round, Director of the State Department of Health, has been ousted in a political overthrow. Back in 1910 he was first appointed Commissioner of Shell Fisheries and has been bacteriologist, investigator, pathologist, executive secretary, and chief of laboratories in the department. The new department chief, Dr. Edward A. McLaughlin '14, quickly hired him back again as a statisti-

cian to reorganize certain phases of the Division of Vital Statistics. His son Charlie '38, well known golfer, is in his third year at Harvard Medical School, where he is a high ranking student.

Henry C. Damon is now living at 102 Orange Ave., East Paterson, N. J. Damon is a partner in the Fabric Steel Co.

John P. Farnsworth has been re-elected treasurer of the Providence Public Library and serves also on the finance committee and the building and grounds committee.

## 1911

Gold Spring House, Wickford, will be headquarters for 1911's 30th reunion, according to Brenton G. Smith, Secretary. The dates are Saturday, June 14, and Sunday, June 15. Plans are rolling for a memorable time.

Rev. John A. Mitchell, who attended Brown with the class as a special student, died in Lonsdale Feb. 8, 1941, in his 64th year. He had been pastor of the Lonsdale Baptist Church for 19 years and last April was in charge of the 100th anniversary exercises at the church. He was student supply minister at Harnsville while attending Brown and had previously been graduated from Newton Theological Seminary. One of his sons, John A. Mitchell, Jr., entered Brown with the class of 1934.

LeRoy G. Pilling was honored recently, along with Henry C. Hart '01, by the Legal Aid Society of Rhode Island, as that organization celebrated its 20th birthday. Pilling has been Secretary and Chief Counsel since October 1921.

Allan W. Greene has a new address in Columbus, Ohio. It is 299 South Front St.

F. Russell Moseley is now living in Needham, Mass., at 304 Charles River St.

What Cheer Jottings, the "small town newspaper" which the Providence Sunday Journal uses for publishing general chat about local celebrities, had this to say recently: "Roy Richardson's field naturalists have a spring program mapped out when nature will be less unnatural, all hope."

## 1912

Randy Burgess got a big hand from other alumni present when the Advisory Council delegates visited the Colgate Hoyt pool to see Brown trim the Army in a thrilling meet. Randy was watching his son, Julian, for the first time in Varsity competition,

## Inducements in Vermont

► ERNEST C. HATHAWAY '18, "who hunts up new industries to bring to Vermont," was "Vermonteer of the Week" recently in the Rutland Herald. He is in his third term as president of the Rutland Chamber of Commerce and commercial manager of the Central Vermont Public Service corporation.

"Of course, the best thing Vermont has to sell is its recreation, and its peace and quiet. It's the best place on earth to live," Cornelia Wilber quoted him as saying. "But every industry which locates here helps the economic life of the State." He has induced glove factory, pajama factory, a Goodyear Rubber plant, and a plastics company to settle in Vermont recently. Inducements he stresses are "good native labor, transportation, power, and virtual lack of serious labor disturbances."

and the Sophomore came from behind to take his heat in the breaststroke event.

#### 1913

James H. Readie, Jr., Chairman of Kent County Local Draft Board No. 2, suggested recently that Army medical examinations be made several days prior to the induction of draftees. Jim pointed out that men in his district had given up jobs when called to service and a few days later found themselves jobless, their old position filled, as Army doctors turned them down after local physicians had approved their physical condition. Jim was toastmaster at the 81st initiation banquet of his fraternity, Delta Upsilon, last month. On top of everything else, including his regular work as Warwick Tax Assessor, he was foreman of the Kent County grand jury last month.

George T. Metcalf, Trustee of the Alumni Fund, has been doing an excellent job as Chairman of the advertising committee.

#### 1914

Rev. Norris E. Woodbury is Pastor of the Baptist Church, Madison, N. H.

Frederick R. Hazard is a member of the Corporation and the Board of Directors of the Osteopathic Hospital of Rhode Island.

Nathan M. Wright, Jr., was re-elected as president of Wannamoisett Country Club, East Providence, at the annual dinner meeting last month.

#### 1915

Sidney Clifford, Alumni Trustee of the University, is chairman of the special gifts committee, Citizens Appeal for \$493,500 for the Providence Y. M. C. A., which was to begin work the middle of this month. This is the first capital drive made by the Y.M.C.A. in 25 years.

W. Russell Burwell, President of the Brush Laboratories Co., Cleveland, Ohio, is now living at Corning Drive, Bratenah, Cleveland.

Carl A. Terry is associated with the Hyannis Inn, Cape Cod, Mass., where he is residing.

William T. Joyce has recently moved from Worcester to 58 Wildwood Drive, Williamsaver, N. Y.

#### 1916

##### 25th Reunion Class

Extensive plans are being made by the Reunion Committee to make this year's gathering a memorable occasion. It will be worthwhile for all of our members to make an earnest effort to be on hand.

Robert E. Briggs has left Fall River to live on Broad St. in Norwich, Conn.

#### 1917

Howard D. Corkum, agent of the Wauregan-Quinebaug Mills, Inc., at Wauregan, Conn., since 1936, is the new general superintendent of Goodall Worsted Co., Sanford, Me.

Dale Wylie looked up "Ding" Woodmansee on a brief visit to Providence last month. As advertising manager for the Iron Fireman, he had just been in Canada on business and was returning to Cleveland.

Barney Feinberg is manager of a shoe factory in Rochester, N. H., where he spends the week days between Monday and Friday. But he and Mrs. Feinberg make their home in Brookline, Mass., where both are active in civic and charitable activities. They have a son who is a Freshman at the University of North Carolina and quite a tennis star. A second son appears to be headed for Brown next Fall, a classmate writes, speaking of the lad as a leader in his class at Brookline High and all-scholastic



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tackle last season on the Boston Post team. Barney has been getting his fill of high school athletics as a rooster for Jim. A third son is 12 years old.

Thomas B. Applegate spoke at the Providence Art Club last month. Roger T. Clapp '19, chairman of the entertainment committee said Tom had been "drafted to justify his existence as a Non-Resident member of the club to enlighten us on the workings of the Rockefeller Foundation, of which he is Vice-President, and to explain, if he can, why the Art Club is not eligible for a grant as a worthy charity."

**1918**

Major Charles B. Malone was called from the Reserve into the active Army before Christmas and is at the reception centre at Fort Devens, Ayer, Mass., according to our latest information. He is a Field Artillery Officer.

Gurney Edwards has been elected President of the R. I. Children's Friend Society and succeeds Lawrence Lanpher '23. The organization has just completed its most active year since its founding in 1835. Recently the Society has been active in supervising European children along with supervision of other children in need of special care and guidance.

**1919**

Roger T. Clapp, counsel for the General Fire Extinguisher Company, spoke on "Business Insurance" before the Rhode Island Bar Association.

Lt. Commander Paul S. Crandall of the U. S. Navy is serving in the Pacific Fleet. His home is at 739 Hillside Ave., Berkeley, Cal.

Joseph H. Grand, associated with the law firm of Jones, Hooker, Gladney and Grand, is living at 515 Midvale St., St. Louis.

Webb W. Wilder has been elected as a director of the Audubon Society of Rhode Island for a term of three years.

Warren R. Campbell, Rhode Island agent for the Home Insurance Company, was a key figure when his company conducted a meeting of its Fieldmen in Providence. He borrowed the Brown Alumni Suite for an informal reception in connection with the convention.

**1920**

Dr. Herman A. Lawson submitted his report as Secretary of the Providence Medical Association at its annual meeting in February.

Martin R. Reyder is Vocational Examiner of the Rehabilitation Commission in Paterson, N. J.

Walter Hoving, President of the Associated Alumni, is chairman of the National United Welfare Committee for Defense, an interdenominational organization of impressive personnel to aid in recreational and welfare activities for soldiers. Hoving, president of Lord & Taylor and a director of many clemensary business groups, has been termed by the Boston Globe "a busy citizen with an out-thrust chin and plenty of Scandinavian staying power."

Seaverns Hilton has built up a successful business making carved and painted toys. His enterprise, known as the Weld Wood-carvers, found work for the townspeople, unemployed since the spool factories left Wad, Maine. You've probably seen his quaint creations — families of animals, rustic driving wagons, barnyards filled with livestock, Christmas scenes, etc.

**1921****20th Reunion Class**

Al Mochau and his committee have issued the "draft call" to all members of the class to report for Commencement activities. A bang-up reunion is in the offing.

For the first time in 13 years George W. Potter is not giving the Brown University Extension course in Journalism. He no longer has time, because of his increased responsibilities as chief editorial writer for the Providence Journal and Evening Bulletin. Chesley Worthington '23 is giving the course this Spring.

Russell P. Jones is the new president of the Delta Upsilon Club of Rhode Island, succeeding his father, Frederick A. Jones '96, who had held office for a decade.

**1922**

It is now Maj. Arthur F. Merewether, Air Corps, U. S. A., Art having been promoted to his present rank last month.

Barnaby McAuslan reports a change from Massachusetts to Maine and is now at 18 Frye St., Lewiston.

Rev. Frank Walter Williams is Pastor of St. Paul's Church, 116 Montecito Ave., Oakland, Cal.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward A. Cooney are occupying their new home at 1507 Centre St., Newton Highlands, Mass. They have three children, Carolyn, Edward Anthony, Jr., and Robert Lincoln.

Dr. William G. Vinal of Massachusetts State College, who took his Ph.D. at Brown in 1922, spoke before the Audubon Society of Rhode Island recently on "The Organized Camp: A Method of Democracy." He is in charge of nature education at the National Camp in the Kittatinny Mountains.

Chapin S. Newhard of the St. Louis investment firm of Newhard, Cook & Co. appeared this winter before the Securities and Exchange Commission in Washington to protest against new SEC rules that would adversely affect the small securities dealer, he said. The New York Times carried his picture in this connection.

**1923**

A dozen members of the class had a reunion at the New York Brown Club's annual dinner: Bill Roux, Ed Gorman, Bob Litchfield, Johnnie Alden, Ed Peterson, Ken Sheldon, Kilgore Macfarlane, Duke Farrell, Chet Worthington, Art Nelson, and Walter Fener.

Arrie Fox paid a visit to Providence recently, taking time off from his duties in charge of recreational work in North Adams, Mass. It was one of the few times he has been back on the campus since he was an undergraduate, and he took particular interest in looking over the athletic plant.

Stuart A. Tinkham is very busy these days designing aircraft engines for the Pratt & Whitney Aircraft Co. of Hartford. Tinkham is living at 47 Stephen St., Manchester, Conn.

Morris F. Swaney, who is associated with the U. S. Advertising Corp. of Illinois, is living at 2101 Harrison St., Evanston, Ill. Dr. Milton I. Rose, a Professor at the University of Pennsylvania, is in the Department of Public Health. He is living at the Hotel Philadelphia.

Robert B. Coons has been manager of the men's underwear and hosiery department in Macy's. A newspaper clipping tells us that he has been given expanded duties to include the buying of men's shirts, pajamas and bath robes, relinquishing supervision of the glove and sweater departments.

The Alumni Office would like to find Frank Durley. Mail for the author of "The Sportsman on the Sofa" does not reach him at his former Darien, Conn., address.

Trustees of the Class Endowment Fund include: E. R. Joslyn (44) Vernon St., Springfield, Mass.; chairman; Edmund J. Bennett, treasurer; John B. Applegate, Lincoln H. Howe, Theodore R. Jeffers, E. John Lowmes, Norman J. Paasche, and Richard C. Smith.

It was good to hear from Herb Famliton the other day. His son may be along at Brown with the class of 1950 if he doesn't go to art school to follow his bent toward

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editorial cartoons. The Familtons are moving from Bellerose, Long Island, to Plandome.

Dr. Kalei K. Gregory, assistant superintendent of the Charles V. Chapin Hospital in Providence, was a speaker at the February meeting of the Providence Medical Society. His topic: "In Meningococcal Infections."

1924

Quentin Reynolds is one of the sensations of the year's lecture platform (turning over his proceeds to a Heywood Brown memorial fund, incidentally). Boston filled Symphony Hall March 16 to hear his talk, "My Neighbors in London—They Can Take It," which was given for the benefit of the British War Relief Society, Inc.

Collier's magazine, capitalizing on the Reynolds boom, has been featuring him in promotion advertising in New York and other papers. A full-page ad in the Herald Tribune and Times says proudly, "Reynolds puts London right in your lap." A photograph, nearly a foot tall, shows him "as snapped by a young gunner of His Majesty's Royal Navy, aboard a trawler, in a convoy off Dover."

"Already," the newspaper readers were told, "this war has developed its ace correspondent—Quentin Reynolds of Collier's. He crawled out of a pillbox up front in France when Hitler exploded the magic of the Maginot line. He bobbed up across the channel in London in time for the all-out bombings. He's been up with the R. A. F. bombers and down with the Royal Navy's submarines. Between 'em he's ridden the convoys through the Channel and up the Thames."

Millions have been drawn closer to suffering London by his straight-forward narration in the film "London Can Take It" and the subsequent cinema document "Christmas Under Fire." His new book, "The Wounded Don't Cry," is in its 12th printing. . . . Before Hitler made Europe the news centre of the world, Reynolds' reporting of the Haiti massacre (a clean beat of even the daily newspapers' press associations) was read into the Congressional Record."

Dr. Robert Mazet, Jr. is at the U. S. Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C. He had hardly established himself in Springfield, Ill., when he was called into service.

1925

Trask Wilkinson was recently elected as an executive committee member of the New England Association of Teachers of English, as that organization held its 41st annual meeting in Boston at the Hotel Statler.

The Providence Journal of March 5, a long story about "Pat" Kenny. Caption of a picture read as follows: "Capt. Robert W. Kenny of the First Battalion bids farewell for the duration to the books that meant so much to Assistant Professor Kenny, Ph.D. of Brown University. He leaves for Fort Blanding, Fla., at 7:30 o'clock this morning." "Capt. Pat" is there now.

Henry Welch is Senior Bacteriologist of the U. S. Food and Drug Administration, Washington, D. C.

Paul Chernov reports his new home address to be 78 Princeton Ave., Providence. Harry N. Marks is residing at the Residence Club, 235 Martine Ave., White Plains, New York.

W. Easton Louttit, Jr., is a new member of the Board of Trustees of the Providence Public Library.



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## 1926

## 15th Reunion Class

Major Arthur S. Hassell, a member of Adjutant General Herbert R. Dean's staff, is in charge of the manpower section of Selective Service headquarters for Rhode Island. Major Hassell, a soldier, advertising man, and editor, is handling the service board's public relations activities. Now that the National Guard is fully inducted into Federal service, Major Hassell is the medium through which the Guardsmen and their officers will maintain contact with one another while scattered at different military bases throughout the country. He is editor of the bi-monthly magazine, *R. I. Guardsmen*.

Remember the "Maxcy" affair — many of the fellows in the class have — but it took our reunion committee to evoke reminiscences when it mailed its recent reunion notices.

Wm. R. Bager who is associated with the Auchincloss, Parker & Redpath Co., of Washington, D. C., reports a new address — 2244 Cathedral Ave., at the Capitol.

Richard H. Hammond is in the sales force with Socony Vacuum Oil Company, Newark, N. J.

S. S. Stewart, Jr. has moved — across the street, we judge — from 1201 to 1212 Woodland Park Drive, Flint, Mich.

Theodore Hunt is Professor of Music at Centre College of Kentucky, in Danville.

Al Parks and his wife, Dorothy, are currently seen at the Mt. Pleasant High School in Providence playing badminton.

Edward Kip Chace of the faculty of Princeton High School in New Jersey has written four articles for the new *Fathers*

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In connection with his work for the New York State Conservation Department, he has planted red currants in the midst of pine plantations in the Adirondacks. "I am not worrying about them," he says.

Magazine, the first of them appearing in the March issue. His topics are: "How to Make Friends with Your Child's Teacher," "Should Parents Help Their Children with Their Homework?" "What Parents Do Not Know about Report Cards and Grades," and "Does Your Child Know How to Read?"

Chace is assistant director of Camp Maranacook, Readfield, Maine, which will open its 33rd year June 30th. One of his campers last year was Blair Moody, III, son of Blair Moody, Jr. '22.

## 1927

Maurice H. Hilton is "advancing rapidly in executive work" with Macy's in New York, a college contemporary writes.

Carl H. Crandall received the thanks of the Alumni office for a favor he recently performed. He's living at 4410 Cayuga Ave., Riverdale, N. Y.

Grafton H. Keyes reports a change in address to 256 Chestnut Hill Drive, Rochester, N. Y.

Ahner B. Auty has moved to 20 Burke St., Riverside, R. I. Ah is a machine inspector at the Brown & Sharpe Mfg. Co.

Eugene M. Purver is an attorney for the National Labor Relations Board in Washington. Gene went into law despite medical studies at Harvard and in Germany.

Sumner T. Packard, Jr. has returned to Providence to live at 60 Franklin St. He was formerly a resident of Worcester.

## 1928

J. Howard Blake has resigned as Vice-President of the Administrative and Research Corporation of New York to join the staff of the Land Title Bank & Trust Company in Philadelphia. Moving to D-13 Ogontz Manor, at Ogontz and Olney Aves., one of his first acts was to write the Alumni Office for John Sheldon Collier's address.

Kent F. Matteson did his bit recently to help publicize the Rhode Island Chauffeurs' and Butlers' Ball held last month for the benefit of British war relief. He posed for the cameraman while his family's chauffeur explained the inner mechanism of the auto, "in case Kent had to fix it while the chauffeur was at the ball." Posing with the chauffeur was Miss Helena Strickler, daughter of Guy F. Strickler '09.

John W. Aldrich is another of the many Brown men who are living in the Nation's Capitol. John is an ornithologist in the Fish

and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior.

John L. Cannon, Jr. is in charge of the Tax Dept. of the Arthur G. McKee Co. of Cleveland, Ohio. He is living at 2993 Fontenay Rd., Shaker Heights.

Watson Wyckoff is in the Real Estate business at Ridgefield, Conn. where he now makes his home.

Frank J. Wilson is receiving his mail at 20025 Sussex Rd., Shaker Heights, Cleveland, Ohio.

Edwin B. Havens has recently moved to 1076 Central Ave., Plainfield, N. J.

W. G. Stuart Sherman notifies us that he is with N. L. R. B., 808 Federal Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

Dr. Robert G. Murphy was chairman of a special committee of the Providence Medical Association which completed recently a year of intensive study of the problem of group health and accident insurance for physicians. A digest of available insurance proposals they had prepared has also been distributed to every member of the South Dakota State Medical Society and the Mississippi Valley Medical Society, and made available to many other state and district medical groups.

## 1929

Wallace W. Elton is working as an art director for J. Walter Thompson, advertising house at 420 Lexington Ave., New York, and living at the Brown Club.

John O. Nilan is assistant advertising manager for the American Mutual Liability Insurance Co., with headquarters in Boston. He was back in Providence recently to arrange for a story on the city's automobile safety campaign for his company's magazine. He was editor of it before receiving his latest promotion.

Rev. Powell Mills Dawley is associate rector of St. David's Episcopal Church, Roland Park, Baltimore, Md., where his present home address is 909 University Parkway.

George M. Schlegel has been made superintendent of the Brookfield Schools, Brookfield, Georgia.

Warren B. Francis is at 2808 McKinley Place, N. W., Washington, D. C. Paul L. Stannard is at Briar Hill Colony, Solon, Ohio. John R. VanNest is at 4 Chesterton Rd., Wellesley, Mass. Paul E. Wiggins is at 10 Manomet St., Brockton, Mass.

## 1930

## BY HAL CARVER

Val Beauce writes from Pleasantville, N. Y., and gives his life in brief: At the present time he is teaching social studies in the Christopher Columbus High School in the Bronx at Pocantico Hills, near Pocantico Lake, where he lives. The name almost stopped me! He reports his marriage as nine years, on the President's last birthday. Wonderful how we even figure dates according to the President. He reports a large and, I presume, growing family that include Bradford Clark, Denny Neill, Noel Sayles, and Winfield Scott. He doesn't state whether the last name came from the General or Win Scott '31.

Both the Newpher reports that Brick Frohock is busy teaching French at Columbia University and has a baby carriage parked in the foyer of his apartment.

The latest information from Uxbridge, Mass. shows that Buzz Andrews is married and is teaching the youth of the nation at Uxbridge High School, where he has been assistant superintendent since 1933.

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Hal Rubner writes that he has been practicing Neuropsychiatry in Bridgeport, Conn., for the past four years. He was married in 1934 and has two daughters, one five years old, the other nine months. He doesn't outline any of the difficulties of his profession, but apparently is busy finding out why people are having D. T.'s early in life.

Jack Wells is traffic manager in Worcester, at 33 Elm Street, and is living at 37 Rollinson Street in that city.

Ralph Purington is busily employed with the Shell Oil Company.

The other member of the Bearse family admits that his family is growing. Barbara is now a member of this family.

### 1931

#### 10th Reunion Class

Winfield T. Scott read a group of his poems before a large audience of undergraduates and faculty members in Faunce House recently. The occasion was a Faunce House Sunday Afternoon Poetry Hour, one of several sponsored by the English Department.

Dr. William E. Boutelle has been made Assistant Resident Surgeon by the Memorial Hospital, New York.

D. Stuart Clarke, who is still working for National City Bank in Cleveland, is now living at 164 Maple Rd., Cleveland Heights.

Alfred Levin, instructor in history at New Haven Women's College, is doing historical research work in the Yale University Library.

Joe O'Neil, in town the other day, expressed himself as highly pleased with the returns he has been getting from the class in answer to his committee reunion questionnaire. Joe tells us that he expects an exceptionally large turnout for the festivities this June.

Jack Horton's part in founding the Rhode Island State schoolboy wrestling championships was recalled recently on the occasion of the 11th annual meet. Horton was coach at Cranston High and worked with "Sandy" Beachen '14 and Prof. Frederick W. Marvel to arrange the original meet, held at Brown.

Frank E. Merchant, writer, was a participant in a recent discussion at Freemasons' Hall in Providence on the subject, "Is This Our War?" He upheld the negative side of the proposition against Prof. John H. Finley, Jr., Chairman of Classics at Harvard. Herbert M. Sherwood '09 presided.

Joseph Cadden told reporters that Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt had apparently become cool toward the American Youth Congress when it opposed the peacetime draft. At any rate, the executive secretary of the Congress said that Mr. Roosevelt, Mrs. Roosevelt, Sidney Hillman, and Paul V. McNutt had all declined invitations to attend an open discussion of the lend-lease bill at the February Town Meeting of Youth. A year ago Mrs. Roosevelt had defended the Congress against charges of Communism.

H. Kingsley Idleman has the sympathy of the Class in the loss of his father, Rev. Dr. Finis S. Idleman, who died at his home, 454 Riverside Drive, New York City, March 22, 1941. Dr. Idleman had been since 1915 pastor of the Central Christian Church, Disciples of Christ. He was the author of "Peter Ainslee, Ambassador of Good Will," which came out last month, assistant editor

of a religious quarterly, and an administrative officer of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America.

### 1932

BY RICHARD A. HURLEY, JR.  
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Al Morón is making a name for himself as Housing Manager of the Housing Authority of the City of Atlanta, Ga. If you happen to be in Atlanta, you can reach him at 673 Greensferry Ave., S.W., Atlanta.

Tom Bond is with the Union Electric Co. of Missouri. At present, he is living at 7736 Maryland Ave., Clayton, Mo.

Bob Johnson is making progress on his trip to the White House. He has attained the position of New York State Senator.

Dr. Eugene M. Hollib has gone on duty with the 119th Medical Regiment, Fort Dix, N. J., until April, 1942.

Dexter Clarke has joined the Legal De-

partment, Narragansett Electric Co., Providence, after having been with the law firm of Greenough, Lyman & Cross since he became a member of the Rhode Island bar.

Tuite Eldredge has become a father. Reliable reports indicate that the baby is modeled after Tuite as to stature and is proving equally active. Tuite is a salesman for the North American Cement Co.

The Class Executive Committee is actively at work on the long range class gift fund. Details of the plan will be announced at the Reunion in June.

David H. Scott, in addition to his regular duties with Harper & Brothers, publishers, has been superintending the production and promotion of President Winston's new book, "Prepare for Peace," announced for April 16 publication. He was in Providence to make arrangements for promotion work on the book.



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▶ ▶ AFTER 28 years, during which he has coached wrestling to more than 2300 boys and young men, Albert E. Beachen '14 believes it is still the "most misunderstood of sports." The Providence Evening Bulletin recently paid tribute to him as "father of Rhode Island schoolboy wrestling and recalled his career at Brown, too.

As an undergraduate on the Hill he went through four seasons and more than 25 bouts without a defeat or draw. He captained the first official Brown wrestling team in 1914 and returned for several years as assistant to Frank Herrick. At one time he coached Tech, Commercial, Classical and Hope High School squads in Providence, totalling 150 boys, 85 of them from Tech, all in the same season.

"Wrestling," he says, "is the safest, sanest, and best body-building sport of all. I have never seen a schoolboy suffer a serious injury from wrestling. And it's the most inexpensive of all school sports."

One of his biggest thrills came last year when his son won the 125-pound championship in the Providence city tournament. That was "Sandy's" own weight at Brown.

**1933**

One form of publicity for the fourth annual campaign of the Narragansett Council of the Boy Scouts of America was the use of testimonials by a number of former Scouts who today are active and useful citizens of Rhode Island. Two of these sponsors were the Gilbane brothers, Tom and Bill. "Our training as Boy Scouts gave us a lot of confidence in ourselves," said Bill.

Eugene F. Hart has recently taken up residence at the Omaha Athletic Club, Omaha, Neb. Gene is secretary of the American Reserve Life Insurance Company agency there.

Dwight D. Dewey has recently moved to 223 Washington Ave., Bridgeport, Conn. Dwight is still with G. E.

Robert T. West, salesman for Lubrizol Corp., East Hartford, Conn., informs us that he is now living at White Wing Farm, Buena Vista Rd., West Hartford.

Daniel Rider has recently moved to 682 Great Plains Ave., Needham, Mass. He is with the Boston law firm of Badger, Pratt, Doyle & Badger.

Ed Bodurtha is a student at the Columbia University Library School.

Stuart A. Woodward has moved bag and baggage across Narragansett Bay. Formerly living on Gaspee Plateau, he is now located at 65 Terrace Ave., Riverside.

**1934**

William C. Wohlforth, Jr., whose recent marriage is announced elsewhere in this issue, is a Lieutenant (Junior Grade) in the Dental Corps, U. S. Naval Reserve. Bill reports that he is a member of the 12th Ward Republican Club, North Yonkers, N. Y.

2nd Lieut. Roy H. Smith, Jr., is stationed at Camp Forrest, Tenn. He is in Troop F—107th Cavalry.

E. Davis Caldwell is now a sales representative for the Lalance & Grosjean Mfg. Co., Woodhaven, L. I., N. Y.

Frank W. Moler, Jr. is working as a mechanical engineer for the Griscom-Russell Co., and is living in the Schuyler House, Fort Hill Village, Scarsdale, N. Y.

William M. Aular, who recently moved to 122 Whitfield St., Pittsburgh, is associated with the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp.

David N. Viger, after four years with Parke-Davis & Co. in shipping, invoicing, branch distribution, auditing and accounting and comptroller's departments, is now working for Whitney Realty Co. Ltd., Detroit, as Assistant Secretary of Whitney Realty Co. and Assistant Manager of the David Whitney Building.

Harold J. Tanner is working for the Glenn L. Martin Company at Middle River, Md.

Roe C. Blanton is assistant cashier at Hornblower & Weeks in Cleveland.

George R. Clapp is assistant program service manager at the Mutual Broadcasting System and lives in New Rochelle, N. Y. Newlwyed Bancroft Littlefield and his bride are established in their home at 147 Prospect St., Providence.

Henry G. Carpenter, Jr. is assistant manager at London Terrace, West 23rd St., New York. He is making his home in South Orange, N. J., at 66 Duffield Drive. His bride of last June, Rose Clews Dillard, comes from South Orange.

**1935****BY ROSS A. deMATTEO, II**

Up to March 10 our class had contributed 61% of its quota to the Alumni Fund. This is still a long way off and we only have until Commencement to reach our goal! We have made a good showing during the past few years, so let's dig and go over the top! Bill Brownhead will receive contributions any time, anywhere and from anybody—all for good old Brown.

Your scribe neglected to mention, in the last ALUMNI MONTHLY, Dr. James P. Adams' official acknowledgment of our class gift. Most of you no doubt know that the members of the class attending the fifth reunion voted to give the University a check for \$400 for the purchase of movie equipment for the use of the Athletic Department. Dr. Adams' letter reads: "May I accept this opportunity to express to you and the members of your class our deep appreciation of this generous gift and of your interest in the work and welfare of the University."

Mal Ball, who has been in the claim department of a Buffalo insurance house for several years, is now in the Army, stationed at Fort Niagara, N. Y.

Bill Counihan, Jr., has passed his bar examinations and has started his law practice in Pawtucket. His offices are located in the Arnold Building, 18 East Ave.

Ralph E. Walker, who is now working for C. Fox in Hartford, Conn., is living at 220 Hartford Ave., Wethersfield, Conn.

Dr. Donald W. Smith, is practicing dentistry at 55 Chestnut St., Oneonta, N. Y.

Robert L. Weill is with the C. I. T. Corporation acting as credit manager in one of their branch offices in Jacksonville, Fla.

Bud Wallburg has changed his address to 107 Arlington St., Woburn, Mass.

That is all—and it's your fault—get that notepaper out and let's hear from you!

**1936****Fifth Reunion Class****BY JAMES L. WHITCOMB.**

2nd Operation Co., Mitchell Field, L. I.

News, for some reason or other, is very scarce this month.

I did learn that Walter E. Rollins is a member of the experimental department at Brown & Sharpe in Providence; and Saul Spitz is manager of the Marvel Shoe Co. at 48 Broad St., Pawtucket.

Al Owens resigned from his work as superintendent of the Brown University Book Store last month to undertake charge of production control at the new plant of the Textile Finishing Machinery Company in Providence. His company is doing a great deal of defense work.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bedrick are spending the semester in Lincoln, Neb., where he is an instructor in Classics.

I'm saving my leave so that I can get back to Providence this June for that long-awaited Fifth. So, by your leave, I'll keep you in touch with one another until June through these columns. I'll watch my mail box for a letter from you, and you watch yours for news from Joe Olney's reunion committee.

**1937**

1st Lieut. Louis C. Adams, Jr., of the U. S. Army Air Corps arrived at the East Boston Airport recently after a non-stop flight from Savannah, where he is an instructor of trainees. He was met by his father, Lieut. Louis C. Adams of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, a veteran of the Philippine and Boxer uprisings.

William P. Horn, Jr., a travelling salesman for the Gulf Oil Corp., is now living at 450 E. Prospect Ave., Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Murray H. Ehnke recently moved to 309 West 57th St., New York City. Murray is working for the F. Eberstadt Company.

Harold Greenspan tells us his new address is 132 South Canon Drive, Beverly Hills, Cal. He is writing for the films.

Thomas Logan, who is associated with the textile firm of Taylor, Clapp & Beall, has recently taken up residence at 105 North Munn Ave., East Orange, N. J.

**Private Hughes**

▶ WHEN the 103rd Field Artillery moved South to Florida in March for its year of Federal service, the Rhode Island National Guard unit had a new private in its ranks. He was H. Stuart Hughes, grandson of Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes '81, son of Charles Evans Hughes, Jr. '09, and brother of Charles Evans Hughes III '38, who since September had been an administrative assistant and instructor in law at Brown.

A graduate of Deerfield Academy and of Amherst College in 1937, Hughes had been studying for his Ph.D. degree in history at Harvard, where he received his A.M. degree in 1938. His field of interest is continental Europe between 1789 and 1815. For his doctorate Hughes had prepared a thesis on "The Crisis of the French Imperial Economy, 1810-1812." Due to his enlistment, for the next year his studies will be less academic.

Robert C. Cooper's new address is 77 Colonial Ave., Eden Park, R. I.

W. W. Burbank is back in New York City working with the International Business Machines.

Robert L. McConnell expected to be graduated from the Air Corps Basic Flying School, Gunter Field, Montgomery, Ala., about March 20, the *Brown Daily Herald* said last month. Previously he had attended the Air Corps Primary Training School at Albany, Ga., where he obtained 60 hours in the air and made his first military solo flights.

Dick Scott has sold his famous "cabin in the woods" and moved into town at Danville, Va., where he is on his way through the Riverside and Dan River Cotton Mills, learning the various processes from actual laboring experience. And he likes it, according to what we hear. He is assistant superintendent of the carding room at present.

Compliments from a newspaperman are flattering, and that is why the editor appreciated one from George A. Mellor of the *Star-Gazette* of Elmira, N. Y. He wrote to say he enjoyed the magazine and counted on it bringing him the news of Brown.

### 1938

Don Eccleston writes that he is working for the Aridye Corp., Farlawn, N. J., makers of textile printing colors, and that he was looking forward to our third-year reunion.

Orlando Rodio, after a year's work in Washington, has been promoted to the job of Inspector in the Wage and Hour Division of the U. S. Department of Labor at Boston.

Ben Chase was in the office just the other day to bid us goodbye for he is leaving for a year's period of service with Uncle Sam's Army. He was sent to Georgia.

Tony Singen is taking over the job of Chairman of the Class Agents of the Alumni Fund which has been vacated by Ben Chase.

Mauri Kusnitz has been made credit manager for Gerber's Inc. of Fall River.

Vince Benton is schedule clerk at the Universal Winding Company of Pawtucket.

Roy Hanson was recently made foreman of Aircraft Division of American Steel and Wire Company of New Haven.

Frank Foster was in the office last month to get the ball rolling for our reunion this June.

Wallace C. Armstrong reports that he has moved to 141 Ballard Rd., West Hartford, Conn. Wally is working for the National Fire Insurance Co.

Leonard Reed Carpenter continues in the Providence colony of '38 men, at 314 Benefit St.

### 1939

David V. Cull is at Fort Dix, N. J., with the Anti-Tank Company, 174th Infantry Regiment of the 44th Division. His company is entirely motorized with the very latest equipment, he writes, and has been under intensive training. Called into service Jan. 14 from his home town of Ridgewood, N. J., he had to give up his position with W. T. Grant Co. at Steubenville, Ohio. Dave received his Master's degree in Retail Merchandising last June from the New York University School of Commerce.

Joe Blessing, Dave's roommate had classmate in college, continues their association in the Army. He is in the 118th Infantry, same division, same camp.

Clint Taylor is an instructor of Aeronautics for the Hyannis Airport Corporation, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

We should have used this item some time ago when Gilbert E. Cain first wrote us that he was working for the Hercules Powder Co., in Wilmington, Del. "Bill Canby and Norman Guy are constant reminders of those wonderful days in the past," he said.

Private George Witherell is stationed at Camp Edwards on Cape Cod, Mass., where he is in the 26th Military Police Co. of the Yankee Division. An excerpt from a letter: "All surrounding towns must be patrolled as well as the whole camp itself. Traffic duty must also be maintained throughout the camp. On top of that, all army activities such as K.P., Battalion Guard, drilling, marching, fire guard, etc., must continue. We have 2 to 4 hours of classes every day and we're on call 24 hours of the day for any disorders which may arise anywhere on the Cape involving soldiers. I received 4 hours of sleep the night before last and 2 1/2 hours last night and that is the way it will probably continue until the company is enlarged. It is composed of only about 125 men so far."

Al Bloomingdale made an official debut into the theatrical world as a producer of the Comedy "Your Loving Son." The play, written by Abby Marchant, opened March 17 at the Plymouth Theater in Boston. A number of Providence people and Brown Alumni were in the opening night audience and came back with good remarks about the show.

Charlie Farrow has recently been made professional manager of the Back Bay Music Co., 168 Boylston St., Boston. The Farrowes live at 38 Clyde Road in Belmont.

Vin Nast is now associated with the Western Lime and Cement Co., Green Bay, Wis.

Don Howarth is busy these days working as service engineer for the Wright Aeronautical Corp., Paterson, N. J. Don lives in Packanack Lake at 159 Chestnut Drive.

Larry Hastings is working for the Otis Steel Co., in Cleveland.

### 1940

Hank Wilder, Jr., 2nd Lieut. 172nd Field Artillery (155 MM Howitzer) N. H. N. G., is on active duty in the Federal Service with his Regiment at Camp Blanding, Fla. Hank has been appointed Personnel Adjutant of his Regiment.

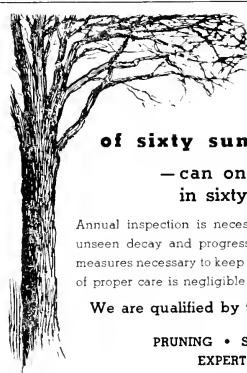
A returned graduate record blank gives us the information that Bernard S. Sabean, Jr., married Miss Hope Harrison in December, 1939, and that they are now the parents of Sandra Hope, born November 23, 1940. The family live at: 34 Williams St., North Easton, Mass.

Leonard "Soupy" Campbell was among 10 New Jersey men to receive a corporal's stripe at Fort Dix. He was one of the first trainees to receive a promotion and was the first Woodbridge, N. J., man to volunteer under the selective service system.

Bill Bates has been appointed an Ensign in the U. S. Navy. Bill left for Washington recently where he will be stationed at the Naval Medical Center.

Walter C. Gunmore, Jr., is now working at the Gulf Oil Co., in Pittsburgh, and is living at 434 South Graham St. Johnny Records is in Texas with the same company.

Gene Verdery has completed the advanced flight training course at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla., where he received his commission as Ensign in the



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Naval Reserve and has been awarded the coveted Navy Wings of Gold.

John D. Producers and Francis K. Wood expected to be graduates of the Air Corps Basic Flying School at Gunter Field, Montgomery, Ala., about March 20, the *Brown Daily Herald* reported last month. They made their first military flights and had their first 60 hours in the air at the Primary Training School at Albany, Ga.

Arthur W. Doherty had intended to write his letter of Feb. 10 merely to inform the Alumni Office of a change of address, but it had a more serious purpose, for on that day Robert Fenley, one of the four members of the class training as aviation cadets at Pensacola, drowned after collision in mid-air.

Three other members of the class who have gone into military service are: Bill McCall, is a private, Battery A, 103rd Field Artillery, 43rd Division, stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla. Bob Clifford is stationed at Fort Rodman, Battery B, New Bedford, Mass. Raymond C. McCulloch also has been sent to the 43rd Division at Camp Blanding, Florida. He had been working at the Hope Webbing Co. in Pawtucket.

Eric Schlubach reports that his new address is 240 East 79th St., New York. ❖

### Engagements

▶▶ 1926 — Miss Beatrice Brown, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Byron Judson Brown of Cranston, to Paul J. Spencer.

1927 — Miss Eileen "Buntzy" Noble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Noble of Calgary, Alberta, Canada, to James E. Brennan.

1932 — Miss Elizabeth Oat Stavers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard B. Stavers of Moylan, Pa., to Albert A. Barden, Jr.

1932 — Miss Pauline Fruitman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Fruitman of Newton, to Dr. Max D. Stein.

1932 — Miss Rosalind Arlene Kimball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sydney Kimball of Lawrence, to Dr. Nathan Chasot.

1934 — Miss Marion Elizabeth Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Haydn L. Brown of Haverhill, to Malcolm Clarke Lang.

1935 — Miss Ruth C. Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Martin of Philadelphia, to W. Wallace Buxton.

1935 — Miss Meta Goldstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Goldstein of Chicago, to Fred A. Nachman, Jr.

1937 — Miss Eleanor Dunant White, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth C. R. White of Brookline, to John Howe Beebe.

1938 — Miss Elizabeth Lee Parker, daughter of Mrs. William Belmont Parker of Cambridge, to George Cure Bright.

1938 — Miss Nancy Adams Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius E. Warren of Newton, to Robert E. Riegler.

1938 — Miss Frances Babcock, daughter of Mr. Henry Cyril Babcock of Providence, to Benjamin A. Chase, II.

1938 — Miss Virginia Elizabeth Major, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harold D. Major of Newton Center, to Frederick Alden Forbes.

1939 — Miss Jeanne Nehrba, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Nehrba of Huntington, L. I., to George V. C. Carter.

1939 — Miss Helen M. French, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. French of Providence, to Charles B. Willard.

### Weddings

▶ 1926 — Prof. Theodore Hunt and Miss Sarah Willard Beach of Dubuque, Iowa, Dec. 22, 1940. At home: Centre College, Danville, Kentucky.

1931 — George M. Knowles and Miss Beatrice Hindley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hindley of Lonsdale in the Chapel of Christ Church, Lonsdale, Feb. 20, 1941. At home: 97 Grove St., Lonsdale.

1934 — William C. Wohlfarth, Jr. and Miss Alice Nolte Renshaw, daughter of Wallace William Renshaw of Bronxville, and the late Mrs. Renshaw, in the Reformed Church of Bronxville, Feb. 12, 1941. At home: 5 Brooklands, Bronxville, N. Y.

1935 — Edward Carhart Ashton and Miss Elizabeth Phillips Barker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Barnes Barker of Brooklyn Heights, March 6, at St. Stephen's Church in Cohasset. At home: Lilac Hill, 585 Country Way, Egypt, Mass.

1935 — Amos L. Taylor, Jr., and Miss Jean Barker McMann, daughter of Mrs. Charles Gideon McMann of Belmont, Oct. 19, 1940 at Plymouth Congregational Church. At home: 29 Alma Ave., Belmont.

1935 — William Lauder, Jr., and Miss Gladys Aaronson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Aaronson of Norwalk, in the First Presbyterian Church of Baltimore, Sept. 21, 1940. At home: 11 Morgan Ave., Norwalk.

1935 — Alfred Hahn Joslin and Miss Roberta G. Grant, daughter of Mr. Max Lewis Grant '12 and Mrs. Grant of Providence, at a candlelight ceremony in the ball-

room of the Biltmore Hotel, March 9, 1941. At home: Hellman '36 was an usher. At home: Eldorado Apts., 211 Waterman St.

1937 — John W. Manchester and Miss Jean Murchie, daughter of United States Dist. Atty. and Mrs. Alexander Murchie of Concord, N. H., Nov. 21, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church. At home: Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.

1938 — Walter Cowell and Miss Harriet Frances Tabakin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tabakin of Indianapolis, in Poughkeepsie, Dec. 17, 1940. At home: 58 College St., Providence.

1938 — Anthony C. Shabica, Jr., and Miss Eleanor Vale Wright, daughter of Mr. Arthur Wright and the late Gertrude V. Wright of Pawtucket, in the Trinity Episcopal Church, Martha's Vineyard, August 31, 1940. Evan M. Crossley '37 was an usher. At home: 217 West Foster Ave., State College, Pennsylvania.

1938 — Lee Norton Booth and Miss Eleanor M. Abrams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis I. Abrams of Haverhill, Dec. 22, 1940. At home: University of N. H., Durham.

1939 — Russell Stewart Wood and Miss Georgetown Avellanet, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Avellanet of New York, at the Hotel Ambassador, Manhattan, March 7, 1941. At home: 324 Pierce St., Easton, Pa.

1939 — Roy Ten Haag and Miss Elizabeth Westcott Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lee Foster of Providence, and sister of Ralph Lee Foster, Jr. '34, at St. Martin's Church, Feb. 22, 1941. At home: 61 West 51st St., New York City.

1939 — Clifton Benjamin Brown and Miss Thelma Thomas Smith, daughter of Mr. Leon Elwood Smith '12 and Mrs. Smith of East Providence, in the United Congregational Church, Feb. 22, 1941. Rev. Robert W. Lee '31 officiated. Edmund D. Brown '39 was best man; William E. Smith '41 and Robert E. Staff '40 were ushers. At home: 138 Barney St., Rumford.

### Births

▶ 1921 — To Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cannell of Providence, a daughter, Mary Catherine, March 7, 1941.

1924 — To Mr. and Mrs. Roland V. Siddall of Spartanburg, S. C., a second daughter, Ann, Feb. 22, 1941.

1926 — To Mr. and Mrs. John Crowell Prior of North Scituate, a daughter, Clair Anne, March 8, 1941.

1928 — To Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Edes of Pittsburgh, a daughter, Emmory, March 10, 1941.

1929 — To Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kevorkian of Boston, a daughter, Jean, Feb. 5, 1941.

1929 — To Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Allen of Providence, a third child, a daughter, Marcia, Feb. 20, 1941.

1932 — To Dr. and Mrs. Manuel Pearson of Connecticut, a son, Lawrence Henry, Jan. 30, 1941.

1933 — To Mr. and Mrs. John E. Flemming, Jr., of New Jersey, a son, John Ellsworth, III, March 16, 1941. The baby's paternal grandfather, the late Rev. Dr. John E. Flemming graduated from Brown in 1906; his dad in 1933; and his mother, the former Elizabeth W. Bucklin graduated from Pembroke in 1933.

1934 — To Mr. and Mrs. John Reighard Lynch of Providence, a daughter, Susan Davis, March 2, 1941.

1934 — To Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Stan-

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ton of Hartford, a daughter, Sally Williams, March 11, 1941.

1935—To Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Moffett of Hope, a daughter, Elizabeth Anne, Feb. 2, 1941.

1936—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Olney, Jr., of Providence, a second daughter, Sally Anna, March 12, 1941.

## Completed Careers

### 1888

►► HARRY TUCK SHERMAN, dean of the American Consular Service when he retired in 1933 after 43 years of active duty in Antwerp, Belgium, died in Memorial Hospital, Orange, N. J., March 5, 1941. In 1921 the late King Albert, remembering the services which Mr. Sherman had given during the German occupation and the many ways in which he had been helpful during his residence in Belgium, conferred upon him the decoration, Chevalier de l'Ordre de la Couronne.

On the occasion of his 40th anniversary as American Consul a colleague wrote that "Mr. Sherman is held in very high esteem not only in Antwerp but throughout Belgium. He has become a part and parcel of the life of that great trading city, but has retained his Americanism and his enthusiasm for all that is American. He and Mrs. Sherman have achieved the thing which they set out to accomplish. He has made for himself a happy, contented and useful career in the service of our Government, and together they have brought up their three sons in such a way that the sons can rise up and call them blessed."

Harry Tuck Sherman was born in Buckport, Me., Aug. 13, 1866, the son of John E. and Vezlor A. (Tuck) Sherman. After two years at Brown he studied law at Middle Temple, London, and on July 1, 1890, entered the Consular Service at Antwerp. He dropped out in 1893 as a result of an administration change in Washington, became European correspondent of New York, London, and Chicago newspapers, and for several years edited and published two newspapers of which he was part owner. One of these newspapers was the leading daily in Antwerp until the Germans came again last year.

In 1901 he returned to the Consular Service with the understanding that he was to remain as a non-career man at Antwerp so that he might educate his children. Between August, 1914, and April, 1917, he had charge of British as well as of American interests; and even the Germans respected him. On leaving Antwerp he went to Queenstown, Ireland, and greeted the first flotilla of American destroyers sent to Europe. He also served in London before going back to Antwerp in February, 1919. He belonged to the Société Royale de Géographie, the Société Royale de Zoologie, the Cercle Royal Artistique et Littéraire, and Beta Theta Pi.

His wife, who was Ellen Florence Gray and whom he married Oct. 31, 1888, died several years ago. Surviving are three sons, one of whom is Jack T. Sherman, American Consul at Berne, Switzerland.

1936—To Mr. and Mrs. Edmond A. Neal of New Jersey, a daughter, Judith Anne, Feb. 22, 1941. Edmond, Jr., was six years old when his dad graduated from Brown.

1939—To Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Frederick Nast, Jr., of Wisconsin, a son, Vincent Frederick, III, Feb. 24, 1941. ◀◀

### 1891

► ALBERT BUSINELL JOHNSON, A.M., Associate Professor of Romance Languages, Emeritus, died in Sarasota, Fla., his winter home, Feb. 23, 1941. To many college generations he was affectionately "Able Bodied" Johnson, a pioneer in teaching Spanish, a jaunty and popular figure on the campus of other days, and a good companion.

"He has given to his Alma Mater a continuous service of more than 40 years in the field of Romance Languages," said the Advisory Council of the Associated Alumni, noting his retirement in 1934. "For such faithful and valued service, sincere appreciation and congratulations are extended. We wish him continued delight in leisurely explorations among his castles in Spain."

His whole teaching career was spent on the Hill. Born in Fairton, N. J., Jan. 20, 1869, the son of Rev. Hiram E. and Sarah (Grinnell) Johnson, he came to Brown from East Providence, where his father was pastor of United Congregational Church, won his A.B. in '91 and his A.M. in '92, and was successively instructor, Assistant Professor, and Associate Professor in the Department of Romance Languages. He taught both French and Spanish, the language and the literature, but Spanish was his favorite subject. He made it alive and attractive; his classes, well attended, reflected his ability as a teacher. His "Cuentos Modernos," which he edited with introduction, exercises, and vocabulary, and which he published in 1908, was among the first of its kind in this country.

In this sabbatic year, 1923-24, he and Mrs. Johnson spent ten months in South America, studying Portuguese and at the same time refreshing their knowledge of Spanish. He believed Portuguese for American students to be "largely a matter of commercial equipment," and essential to any American intending to engage in business in Brazil. After retiring to his Rehoboth farm, the study of both Portuguese and Spanish was his recreation. Professor Johnson was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Chi. His wife, who was Marion M. Casho and whom he married Oct. 29, 1921, is his only immediate survivor.

### 1893

► REV. EDWIN BARNES NIVER, A.B., A.M., D.D., was for 10 years previous to his death on Sept. 9, 1940, librarian of the College of Preachers, Washington, D. C. Thus he rounded out a long, devoted career as Episcopal minister and naval chaplain.

Born in Scott, Cortland County, N. Y., July 9, 1863, the son of William A. and Mary (Barnes) Niver, he studied at Amherst College and at the Episcopal Theological School before taking his bachelor's degree at Brown after a year's residence.

He was, in fact, rector of St. Paul's Church, Providence, while an undergraduate. From St. Paul's he went in 1894 to Christ Church, Baltimore, where he was assistant minister and then the vigorous and beloved rector for 25 years.

As soon as the United States entered the World War in 1917, Dr. Niver took commission as chaplain, Naval Reserve, to serve with the Marines at Quantico, Va. In March, 1919, he resigned as rector of Christ Church; in 1922, by special act of Congress, he became a chaplain, U. S. Navy, and served until 1927. Two years later he settled in Washington as librarian of the College of Preachers, a place to which he thereafter gave his time and interest.

At Commencement in 1909, St. John's College, Annapolis, conferred upon him the honorary degree of D.D. He won his A.M. at Columbian, now George Washington University, in 1895. On June 1, 1893, he married Cornelia Lee Post, who survives, with a son, Charles M. S. Niver Dr. Niver was a member of Chi Psi at Amherst.

### 1897

► ARTHUR CROWELL STONE, Ph.D., manufacturing jewelry executive, born Providence, Nov. 17, 1872, the son of Jason P. Stone, Jr., and Mary E. (Crowell) Stone; died at his home in Pawtuxet, Feb. 11, 1941. For two years and one term he was a member of the Class of 1896. Then he dropped back to take his bachelor's degree with '97.

As undergraduate and in his younger years, the theatre and music were his hobbies. Member of Hammer and Tongs, he was the subrette and Chief dancer in "Florida Water" and other musical comedies written by his friend, the late Ned Corliss '96. And he also appeared in the annual shows put on by the First Corps of Cadets, Boston, which were locally popular in their time.

When he left college he started out as a salesman of jewelry findings for Providence firms, one of which was the George W. Dover Co. He engaged in sales work for about ten years before taking up executive duties as president of Metal Products Corporation, Screw Machine Products Corporation, and Electric Systems Corporation. After the World War he served for two years as treasurer of George W. Dover.

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Inc., and then of A. C. Stone, Inc. Recurring illness hastened his retirement.

In 1908 he married Ida Lawton Wales, who died at Miami Beach, Fla., in January, 1935. His fraternity was Theta Delta Chi.

### 1899

► **FRANK FERRIS WOOLLEY**, cotton cloth broker, born Pawtucket, Feb. 4, 1877, the son of Joseph J. and Mary A. (Ferris) Woolley; died in Rosedale, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1941, after a month's illness. He was a brother of Dr. Mary E. Woolley '94, President Emeritus of Mount Holyoke College, and of the late Erving Y. Woolley '88.

Resident of Rhode Island for 31 years after he left Brown at the end of Sophomore year, he spent 23 of these years as agent and superintendent of the Coventry Company, Anthony. In that period he was president of the Pawtucket Valley Visiting Nurses Association, vice president of the R. I. State Conference, Charities and Corrections, member of the Coventry Town Council and School Committee, and president of the R. I. Textile Association. He had a strong sense of civic duty, and faithfully followed it. He had the groundwork of his successful business career by two years as insurance salesman, one year as a traveling salesman, and four years in overalls as mill hand.

In 1928 he went to New York as production manager of Recording & Statistical Corporation, and in 1936 became vice president of P. L. Davis Co., Inc., cotton goods dealers. He left the Davis Company to join A. P. Loughton & Co. about six months before his death. On May 19, 1905, he married Harriet S. Wright, who survives, with two daughters, a son, and his sister, Dr. Woolley of Westport, Conn. He was a member of the Black Hall Club, New York, and the University Club, Boston.

### 1900

► **REV. JAMES WALLACE CHESBRO**, Ph.D., Baptist minister, born Savoy, Mass., June 15, 1871, the son of Albert W. and Phoebe M. (Carter) Chesbro; died in Osterville, Mass., Feb. 7, 1941, of a heart ailment. He was a lineman, or rusher, on the Brown football team of 1899, one of the strong eleven of the eastern college world at the turn of the century.

Following graduation from Newton Theological Institution he held pastorates in Chester, N. H., South Paris, Me., Narragansett, and Randolph and Bellows Falls, Vt. In 1918 he was called to the Baptist Temple, Fall River. After eight years of able, arduous work there he resigned and removed to Springfield, Mass., where he engaged for a short time in selling life in-

surance and in acting as supply pastor to neighboring churches. In 1926 he was independent candidate for Congress on a dry platform. Two years later he accepted a call to the Baptist Church at Osterville.

On July 2, 1902, he married Addie O. Luby, who survives, with three sons, Albert L. Chesbro '27, Ronald A. Chesbro '28, and Dr. Wallace L. Chesbro; a sister, brother, and two grandchildren. He was a member of Phoenix Lodge of Masons, Randolph, the Modern Woodmen of America, and the Cape Cod Clerical Club.

### 1904

► **RICHARD OWEN DUMMER**, Ph.D., A.M., science teacher, born Weld, Me., Dec. 9, 1879, the son of Richard Gorham and Emma (Annan) Dummer; died in Providence, Feb. 22, 1941. He was head of the Science Department, Hope High School.

In 1905, after receiving his Master's degree in chemistry, he began teaching in the high school at Trinidad, Colo. He came back East to join the staff of Cranston High School, where he remained four years before transferring to Hope High School. During his long service at Hope, spanning war and peace, good times and bad, he encouraged many of his students to go to college.

On April 21, 1906, he married Hannah H. Tripp, who survives, with his mother, three sons and a granddaughter. Two of the sons are Brown graduates, Richard A. Dummer '31 and Donald D. Dummer '36.

### 1907

► **EDWIN VOSE ROSS**, Ph.D., insurance agent and public citizen, born Portland, Me., Dec. 21, 1883, the son of William E. and Nellie I. (Dunn) Ross; died in Brattleboro, Vt., Jan. 27, 1941. He had been at Brattleboro Sanitarium under special treatment for a heart ailment.

"Doc" and "Eva" his classmates called him. Always friendly and companionable, he had a fine personality with a lively sense of humor. In college his favorite sports were swimming and baseball. As a member of Phi Kappa Psi, he was a loyal worker and a good counselor. When he was graduated he returned to Portland, his home city, and was with the Maine Central Railroad for two years as assistant cashier before he decided that educational work for the Y. M. C. A. was his field.

After excellent service as educational secretary of the Providence Y. M. C. A., he went to the Army and Navy Y. M. C. A., Newport, to develop and carry out a program for the men of the Atlantic Squadron, U. S. N. In 1914 he became secretary of the German Memorial Club, Watervliet,

N. Y., and in 1915 he joined Travelers Insurance Co. Until 1923, when he opened his own agency in Norwich, Conn., he worked for Travelers as special agent, assistant manager and manager in Chicago, Pittsburgh, and Newark, N. J.

In Norwich he was a useful and valued citizen. He was president of Eastern Connecticut Council, Boy Scouts of America, secretary of the New London County Agricultural Society, treasurer of the Norwich Town Rural Association, and a leading member of the United Congregational Church. He belonged to the Tuckerman Club, the Masons, and other fraternal groups. He was married June 17, 1912, to Jean Fairfield Barr, who survives, with a daughter, his father, and a brother, William C. Ross '09.

### 1929

► **WILLIAM WARREN CRAWFORD**, Ph.D., Director of maintenance for the Board of Education, Milburn, N. J., died at his home in Milburn, Oct. 11, 1940, after a year's illness. He spent three years at Middlebury College before transferring to Brown in September, 1928.

"Pete" Crawford, as he was known on the Hill, was born in Freehold, N. J., March 29, 1906, the son of William Wesley and Myra (Schenck) Crawford. In his year at Brown he made friends who were fond of him because of his "sparkling wit," as *Liber Brunensis* said, and his discriminating tastes. His fraternity was Delta Kappa Epsilon.

From college he went to work for Western Electric Co., his first assignment being statistics and prices. During 1932 he studied cost accounting, and in 1933 became production manager of a subsidiary of Pyrene Mfg. Co. in Newark, N. J. He later moved to Milburn to take charge of maintenance work in the public school system.

"Pete" was married Oct. 19, 1939, to Helen Ludlam, who survives, with his father, and two sisters. He belonged to the Downtown A. C., New York City, and was a communicant of the Dutch Reformed Church.

## Pembroke Chronicle

### In the Spite of a snowstorm which reached blizzard proportions, Alumnae Council members turned out 75 strong to attend the annual two-day session on March 7 and 8.

Visits to classes and a tour of the campuses, with special visits to the Annmary Brown Memorial Library and reconstructed University Hall, brought the delegates to the highlight of Friday's program—a banquet in Alumnae Hall which was addressed by Martha Dickie Sharp '26. Mrs. Sharp who has just returned from France where she was American representative of the Unitarian Service Committee and the American Friends' Service Committee, presented a challenging message on "France Today."

Saturday's program opened with a round-table discussion for Alumnae Club representatives. Participants in the discussion, which was led by Margaret Carr '17, president of the Newport Club, included: Eleanor Campbell '34, Boston; Carrie T. Foulkes '15, Fall River; Irene Nelson Marvell '11, New Bedford; Charlotte Young '15, Bristol; Doris Denning '30, South County; Ruth

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Tufts Cosgrove '10, Brockton; Helen K. Wallace '20, New York; Catherine Hinchey '25, Philadelphia; Hannah Nicholson Benson '11, New Haven; Dr. May Hall James '09, honorary member of the Detroit Club; and Millic Church McKeever '05, Southern California.

Ollie A. Randall '12, president of the Alumnae Association, was in charge of a stimulating business meeting for Council members. Madeline Kane Durfee '13, chairman of the Regional Scholarship Committee, presented an interesting report on the work the regional committees are doing throughout the country. Mary Louise Hinchey Record '37, director of the News Bureau at Pembroke, described the scholastic achievements of the recipients of the large scholarships and their participation in extra-curricular activities. Miss Moor answered several questions concerning admission facts and figures.

The suggestion by the president to increase the membership on the Executive

Board met with the hearty endorsement of the Council members. It was proposed that a careful study be made of the constitution for the purpose of bringing about desirable changes.

A luncheon for Council members and class agents concluded Saturday's program. Jessie Monroe Williams '12 presented a report urging the classes which are to hold reunions this June to make every effort to complete their quotas by that time. Dean Morriss outlined the plans which the College is making for the Semi-Centennial celebration. Gertrude Allen McConnell '10 spoke on the money-raising projects which are planned for this spring, and urged the members to send in as many articles as possible for the Country Auction on May 3.

#### Sponsors

THE Brown Alumnae Club and Pembroke College were among the organizations which sponsored the Fourth Annual Rhode Island World Affairs Week last month.

## The Alumnae Classes

By GERTRUDE ALLEN MCCONNELL '10

1899—Eva E. Curtiss has changed her residence to 38 Spring St., Bristol, Conn.

1900—Anna C. Buffinton has taken an apartment at 406 Brook St., Providence.

1902—Myrtis Millikin Clayton has returned from a two months' trip to Honolulu.

1911—Lila Crapo is sportswear buyer for R. H. Stearns in New York. She is living at 128 Chestnut St., Apt. 54, Boston.

1911—Anna Canada Swain has the sympathy of the alumnae in the loss of her Mother.

1912—Jessie Monroe Williams has our sympathy in the death of her Father.

1914—The Class had a rummage sale for the benefit of the Semi-Centennial Fund and made \$130.

1915—Blanche Schuller Hook is Parliamentarian for the 10th District California P. T. A. with approximately 80,000 members. P. T. A. is an important part of the California school system.

1915—Catherine Canada Wright has the sympathy of the alumnae in the loss of her Mother.

1916—Marjorie Barber has our sympathy in the death of her Mother.

1918—Sarah Morse Beardsley entertained at a tea recently for Helen K. Wallace '20, Dean of Women at Hofstra College, Hempstead, L. I.

1924—Hilda Hoffman of the Bowery Savings Bank in New York is regional vice-president of the Association of Bank Women.

1924—Charlotte Ferguson Roads has been elected to the School Committee in Marblehead.

1925—Amy Hull Hodge and family are at 3341 West Penn St., Germantown, Philadelphia.

1925—Nancy Judkins has been taking a year's leave of absence from her teaching position and has been studying in New York. She is living at 414 West 120th St.

1926—Martha Dickie Sharp spoke twice in Providence last month during World Affairs Week, once on "Saving Children in France," and again on "France Under Petain."

1928—Freda Johnson Sibley and her

husband, Rev. Laurence C. Sibley have moved to New Bedford, where Mr. Sibley has accepted a call to the South Baptist Church. They are living at 10 Emery St.

1930—Zella Downing Metcalf and family are living at 44 Rockland Ave., Portchester, N. Y.

1931—Estelle Moore Eldridge and family have moved to 236 Center St., Manchester, Conn.

1932—Rosamond King Lynch and husband are at 101 Hecla Ave., Uxbridge, Mass.

1935—Winifred Small has resigned her position as a bacteriologist in Boston to go to England with the Harvard Medical Unit.

1936—Katharine Faulkner Neubert now lives at 307 Garfield Ave., Brooklyn.

1937—Elsabeth Rice Smart and her husband are building a house in Saylesville Highlands.

1938—Frances Dunn is Assistant to the Director of Educational Measurements at Brown.

1938—Ruth Banks Froling has been spending several weeks in San Diego.

1938—Dorothy Henry was chairman of a food sale for the class which netted over \$50 for the Semi-Centennial Fund.

1939—Marguerite C. Coogan is Personnel Research Technician with the State Technical Advisory Service of the Social Security Agency in Washington. Her address is 2410 20th St., Apt. 306.

1939—Margaret Garner is with Woolcott's road company of "The Man Who Came to Dinner."

1939—Margaret Porter is working in the John Hay Library.

1939—Thelma Salisbury is studying at the Simmons Library School.

1939—Mary Veach has the sympathy of the alumnae in the loss of her Father. She and her mother have taken an apartment at 1410 Metropolitan Avenue, Parkchester, N. Y.

1940—Katherine Bertram has moved to Tiverton, R. I.

1940—Evelyn Jacobs has completed her secretarial course at the Copley Secretarial Institute and now has a secretarial

position. She has moved to 126 Amory St., Brookline, Mass.

1940—Louise Parker is a technologist in the Worcester State Hospital, Worcester, Mass.

#### Engagements

1911—Dr. Eva Waterman Magoon to Paul Stevens Somerville of St. Johnsbury, Vt.

1936—Lucille Batchelder to Harry H. Walsh, Jr., Amherst. Mr. Walsh is manager of Headley-Reed Co., radio station representatives, in Detroit.

1939—Virginia Kelley to Harold Arthur Sherbino of St. Albans, Vt.

1939—Lora E. Morris to Robert Ashley Johns, a graduate of Norwich University. He is with the General Electric Company in Schenectady and is an officer in the U. S. Cavalry Reserve.

1940—Frances Babcock to Benjamin A. Chase, Brown '38.

1940—Carol Lohenberg, to Arthur B. Freedman, Harvard '37. Mr. Freedman graduated from the Harvard School of Business Administration in 1939 and is a member of the executive staff at Bloomingdale's.

1941—Audrey Smith to David Price, Brown '40.

#### Weddings

1935—Catherine Jodoin and Robert G. Beckley, Feb. 22. Address: 95 East Main St., Jewett City, Conn.

1939—Tatiana Dzubyay and Michael Aruck Address: 106 West 13th St., New York City.

1940—Leah Janet Goulet and Ahti Albert Erkinen, Brown '38, in the Central Congregational Church in Providence on March 14. Marjorie Leland '40 served as maid of honor. Address: 612 Angell St., Providence.

1940—Lois Gladding and Adolf F. Hafrenfer, Jr. in the First Baptist Church in Providence on March 8. Mr. Hafrenfer is a graduate of Lehigh University. Address: Gardner's Neck Road, South Swansea, Mass.

1941—Ann Lucheme and Rolle Rene Rand were married at the Church of St. Michael and All Angels (Episcopal) in Baltimore on Jan. 29. Mr. Rand attended the University of Shanghai, China, and Tulane University. He is associated with the Fawcett publications as a writer and editor. Address: 60 Bank St., New York City.

1942—Florence Mullins and Lieut. John F. Barrett, Jan. 25. Lieut. Barrett is a member of the 152nd Observation Squadron at Hillsboro, where Mrs. Barrett learned to fly under the Civil Aeronautics Authority.

#### Births

1928—To Dr. and Mrs. Donovan S. Correll (Helen Butts), a daughter, Helen Butts, on Feb. 26. Address: 27 Chaske Ave., Auburndale, Mass.

1930—To Prof. and Mrs. Alan W. Brown (Beatrice Simpson), a daughter, Diana, Dec. 23, 1940. Address: 417 West 118th St., New York City.

1934—To Mr. and Mrs. John E. Flemming, Jr. (Elizabeth B. Kim), a son, John E. Flemming, III. The baby's grandfather was the late Rev. Dr. John E. Flemming, Brown '06. Address: 160 Summit Ave., Apt. 22, Summit, N. J.

1937—To Mr. and Mrs. John F. Sullivan, Jr. (Barbara Williams), a son, Roger John, on Feb. 8. Address: 7 Fowler Ave., Newport.



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